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GLASGOW ALWAYS OWNED TRAMWAYS

City Built First Lines, Tried Operation Under a Private Lease, and Found It Impracticable.

WHY THE SYSTEM FAILED

Lessees Refused to Keep Up Improvements; Situation Compared to Chicago's Tentative Plan.

BY RAYMOND.

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[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

GLASGOW, April 24.—Municipal ownership of tramways is not a new thing in Glasgow. In fact, Glasgow never has known anything else. The city built its first tramways in 1871, thirteen years after the first ninety-nine year franchise was granted in Chicago.

The municipality of Glasgow from the beginning never relinquished its ownership. The horse lines were opened in August, 1872, and immediately were leased to a private company. This lease, with some minor extensions, lasted until 1894, and gave Glasgow a great deal of experience with a system of municipal ownership, but with private operation.

Like Chicago Tentative Ordinance.

The lease made in 1872 was for the approximate period of twenty years, and provided for the taking over of the physical property of the tramway system whenever the city desired. The situation in Glasgow during the life of the lease was practically identical with the situation that would obtain under the tentative ordinance proposed in Chicago.

The leasing system, however, was not satisfactory to the people of Glasgow. When the corporation took over the lines in 1894 there were sixty miles of track. The service was all by horses, and was slow, antiquated, and unsatisfactory. American cities had been running cables for more than ten years, and the trolley lines had conquered even the American country towns. Yet the Glasgow lessees refused to adopt any improvements for fear the city would grab the lines at the expiration of the lease, thus getting the profit of the successful experiment and at the same time refusing to pay for it.

Short Term Lease a Failure.

The failure of Glasgow's experience with a short term lease system was humiliating. The city owned the tramways which it had built itself, but it could not force the private companies operating the lines to make the necessary improvements. Nevertheless a curious thing happened. The revenue received during the period the horse lines were run by the city under its own operation, from 1894 to 1901, was sufficient not only to pay for all the equipment of the road roads when the city acquired them, but also to renew most of the worn out tracks and to make a beginning on electrical equipment.

Glasgow was never divested of its ownership, and therefore never had to buy back the right to do business with its own property. Having tried municipal ownership with private operation for twenty years the city began municipal operation exactly where Chicago would under the proposed tentative ordinance, except that Glasgow relieved and saved revenue enough during the twenty year lease period to pay for the old equipment, renew the tracks, and make a start in buying new cars and power houses. This fact alone affords a great lesson for Chicago.

Wouldn't Make Improvements.

Municipal ownership with private operation on a short term lease was not successful, simply because the lessees would not make expensive experiments with new methods toward the conclusion of the lease. Glasgow found to its cost that during the last five years of the twenty year lease no thrifty Scotch company would make expensive experiments at its own cost. So in 1894, when the city acquired the tramways, it made a mistake then. It did not completely install the overhead trolley system on all the city lines until 1902. By that time Washington and other American cities had been operating the underground electric system for some time—a system as far in advance of the trolley as the trolley is ahead of the cable. It took Glasgow from 1895 until 1902, seven years, to electrify its own horse lines. So the first seven years of municipal operation was a period of transition. Practically Glasgow had to equip a new system throughout.

Some Financial Aspects.

The total borrowing power authorized by parliament was $12,480,000, with later additions of $500,000, making a total of $13,000,000 capital. The expenditures to the end of May, 1903, were $12,846,443. Of this $3,496,228 was for permanent way, $2,551,737 for electrical equipment, $4,381,329 for building, horses, ground, and power houses.

Allowing for depreciation, the net capitalization of the Glasgow municipal lines on June 1, 1903, was $10,221,657. In the same year the net revenues were $3,151,545. After paying for renewals and depreciation, rent of suburban lines, interest, sinking fund, and repayment to the city of the trust fund, ceasing "for the common good," there remained a surplus representing an actual net earning of $481,324—a fair return on the investment.

EXTRA

4:25 A. M.

JAP WARSHIP IS DAMAGED

ONE OF TOGO'S VESSELS LIMPING TO PORT.

German Cruiser Sights Man of War Towing Another Badly Crippled, in Strait of Formosa, April 23—May Have Been Battered in Sea Fight With Russians After Rojestvensky Left Saigon, When Firing Was Heard Out at Sea.

Tsing Tau, April 25.—(Special.)—The German cruiser Sperber reported having sighted, April 23, in the Strait of Formosa, a Japanese man of war towing another one which was badly damaged.

SUMMARY OF
The Daily Tribune.

TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1905.

THE WEATHER—
FORECAST—Increasing cloudiness Tuesday, probably showers at night and Wednesday, not much change in temperature, fresh northeast winds. Sunrise, 4:56; sunset, 6:42. Moonrise, 12:04 a. m.
CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 55, min. 46, mean 52, normal for the day 46. Deficiency for 1905, 304.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Deficiency for 1905, 1.18 inches.
Wind, E., max. 18 miles an hour, at 6:45 p. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 40%. 7 p. m. 50%.

LARGEST 2 CENT MORNING CIRCULATION IN THE WORLD.

The Tribune Want Columns Will Be Found on Pages 12. 13. 14. 15.

FOREIGN.

Glasgow's experiment with municipal ownership of tramways under private operation failed; lessees refused to make improvements; situation explained by Raymond's special cable. **Page 1.**

Anarchy spreading all over Poland; police powerless and authorities fear general massacre of Russian officials in Easter holidays. **Page 5.**

DOMESTIC.

Frank G. Bigelow, president of First National bank of Milwaukee, confessed to embezzlement of $1,400,000; arrested and out on bonds; Chicago banks saved disaster by sending $1,400,000, depositors being paid in full; assistant cashier a fugitive. **Page 1.**

Three Chicago bank presidents hastened to Milwaukee at night to aid financiers. **Page 3.**

Congressman Pinckney and three others killed in shooting at local option meeting at Hempstead, Tex. **Page 1.**

Suits were filed in United States courts asking for receiver for Equitable Life Assurance society. **Page 7.**

Gen. Lee, while consul in Havana, took Gen. Funston for would-be assassin and came near killing him. **Page 7.**

WASHINGTON.

First split in new isthmian canal commission; four members insist on immediate adoption of plans; Shonts, Wallace, and Magoon urge delay until consulting board submits plan. **Page 5.**

Richard Weightman drew conclusions from present war that torpedo boats are of little value, that cruisers have not proven their usefulness, and that battleships are supreme. **Page 8.**

Former attorney for Louisville argued before senate committee that present interstate commerce commission has power to fix rates. **Page 9.**

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

Russian fleet reported from Tokio as having reached French island of Hainan, 600 miles north of Kamranh bay; Togo guards all approaches to Vladivostok; China seas patrolled by scouts. **Page 5.**

LOCAL.

Teamsters' strike against Montgomery Ward & Co. collapsed, being abandoned at request of garment workers. **Page 1.**

Mayor Dunne declared himself in favor of abandoning present site to county and building city hall on west side. **Page 1.**

Defense in Perry arson trial tried to show conspiracy existed before fire to oust defendant from control of Hegewisch car plant. **Page 5.**

Mayor Dunne said city council must take responsibility of granting permits to corporations holding public franchises. **Page 5.**

Box of papers of Etna Trading company stolen by burglar from house of Gustav Freund was recovered. **Page 7.**

POLITICAL.

Members of Illinois house have decided to pass bill allowing Chicago to regulate price of gas. **Page 4.**

Council and volunteer committees to secure gas legislation adopted plan of action. **Page 4.**

Illinois house passed bill allowing Chicago to hold charter convention. **Page 4.**

NEW YORK.

Morgan-Hill-Rockefeller formed big combine to check ambitions of E. H. Harriman. **Page 7.**

State accused J. Morgan Smith of buying pistol with which Nan Patterson killed Caesar Young. **Page 7.**

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Continued heavy liquidation in wheat broke prices and added $800,000 to losses of Gates clique. **Page 7.**

About seventeen car loads of strawberries reached market and prices were easy. **Page 10.**

SPORTING.

Chicago Nationals batted out 7 to 1 victory from Pittsburg in second game of series. **Page 6.**

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
ALGIERS		V. Luise
BERMUDA	Bermudian	
CHERBOURG	K. W. II	
DOVER	Finland	Pretoria.
GIBRALTAR	K. Luise	
GLASGOW		Laurentian.
HALIFAX	Carthaginian	
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CALL OFF STRIKE OF THE DRIVERS.

Leaders Decide, at Request of Garment Workers, to Abandon Contest with Montgomery Ward & Co.

IMPOSE ONE CONDITION.

Insist Teamsters Who Walked Out Have Their Old Places; Employers May Refuse This.

HISTORY OF TEAMSTERS' STRIKE

Strike called	April 6
Duration of strike	18 days
Number of men on strike	71
Number of men indirectly involved	250
Number of firms indirectly affected	200
Cost of strike to Ward & Co. (estimated)	$120,000
Cost to other business houses (estimated)	50,000
Loss to unions, including wages, etc. (estimated)	10,000

The teamsters' strike against Montgomery Ward & Co. was declared in aid of the United Garment Workers, 4,000 of whose members walked out of twenty-nine clothing factories on Nov. 17, 1904, in protest against the "open shop." The Ward firm was singled out as vulnerable, and, by conquering that house, the strike leaders hoped to bring others in the National Wholesale Tailors' association into line.

For the purposes of the strike every labor union in Chicago contributed, and a strike fund estimated at $10,000 a week was raised.

One of the notable results of the struggle was the birth of the Employers' Teaming company.

The teamsters' strike collapsed suddenly last night. The fight against Montgomery Ward & Co. was abandoned at the request of the garment workers.

The garment workers' strike, which has been in progress against twenty-eight wholesale clothing houses since last November, will continue without the aid of the teamsters. This struggle will continue to receive the support of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

One condition was attached to the ending of the teamsters' strike. President Shea will consent to drop the contest only on the promise of the employers to reinstate all teamsters who have struck or been discharged. The employers may refuse to agree to this condition. If they do refuse Shea will demand that the fight be continued against Montgomery Ward & Co. indefinitely on that basis.

The employers were not prepared to say last night that they would accede to the condition.

Committee Issues Statement.

The following statement, issued at 10 o'clock last night by the strike "committee" of fifteen, explains the sudden termination of the teamsters' strike, which has been in progress since April 6:

"Owing to the fact that the teamsters refuse to spread the strike to other houses than Montgomery Ward & Co., and as the united garment workers were positive in their belief that they could not satisfy their members unless the strike was extended to the larger clothing houses, and since the committee could not harmonize on that proposition, it was decided best for the teamsters to withdraw from the fight."

Teamsters Must Await Orders.

President Shea of the teamsters' union, soon after the decision of the strike "committee," issued the following statement:

"The garment workers and the Chicago Federation of Labor requested the teamsters to withdraw from the strike declared against Montgomery Ward & Co., but no teamsters must return to work until ordered to do so by their respective unions."

Shea explained that the ending of the teamsters' strike depended solely upon the employers' concurrence in the demands indicated in the foregoing.

"Should we meet with refusal the strike will continue as a teamsters' battle until the strikers are reinstated in their positions," said he.

Will Wait on Employers.

To insist upon this action a committee of strike leaders was appointed to wait upon the employers today. They will ask that the forty-six truck drivers and twenty-five coal teamsters who have been on strike be given their old positions at once and under the same conditions that prevailed before they were ordered out. The express companies and other firms which discharged some of their drivers also will be asked to reinstate them.

Of the forty-six truck drivers on strike, fifteen were employed directly by Montgomery Ward & Co. The rest were hired by the Henry Hough Teaming company. The coal teamsters were employes of Fred D. Westphal, teaming contractor for the Edwin F. Daniels Coal company. The equipment of Westphal was purchased yesterday by the new Employers' Teaming company, which fact may complicate matters.

Session of Strike Committee.

The sudden end to the teamsters' strike came at the conclusion of an exciting session of the committee of fifteen directing the fight. The committee met at 7 o'clock at the headquarters of the Chicago federation of labor and discussed the situation until 10 o'clock.

The garment workers, who have five representatives on the committee—an equal number with the teamsters and the Chicago federation of labor—raised the storm. Their action was forecast on Sunday, and evidences that an upheaval in the strike was due had increased through the afternoon.

The garment workers protested against the way in which the teamsters were conducting their sympathetic strike against Montgomery Ward & Co. alone. Demands were made that the contest be directed against the twenty-eight other clothing manufacturers against whom the garment workers' strike originally was called. On the ground that no possible benefit could accrue to the garment workers' cause by striking against the State street stores the garment workers like-

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"THE WRETCH!!!"

CITY HALL FOR WEST SIDE.

Mayor Dunne Personally Favors Union Park as a Site.

COURTHOUSE NEEDS SQUARE.

Executive Tells County Board Plans Should Be Made for Future.

Mayor Dunne personally is in favor of removing the city hall to Union park or some neighboring site and surrendering the present location of the county. As mayor he has no choice. He presented his views to a committee of the county board, which met yesterday afternoon at the Union League club to consider plans for the new county building, for the construction of which a bond issue of $5,000,000 was authorized at the recent election.

The committee invited the mayor to the conference in order to learn whether the city wished to cooperate in the county's plan with a view ultimately to building a city hall in conformity with the new county building.

Believes City Should Give Up Site.

"As mayor I have no opinion to present," said Mr. Dunne. "I shall have an official opinion on the proposition only after submitting it to the council and conferring with my advisers. But I have a private personal opinion formed during the years I spent on the bench.

"I believe either the city or the county should vacate the square in favor of the other. To provide for the needs occasioned by the future growth of the municipality common prudence would suggest that one or the other will require all the room there is in the square. A building should be erected on the site fully adequate for all needs.

"I believe the city should vacate in favor of the county. There are ten citizens who visit the county building to one who goes to the city hall. Thousands of persons daily visit the county offices on court business or matters pertaining to deeds and other records. On the other hand, outside of city employés, the people who have business in the city hall are mostly citizens paying water taxes or obtaining permits. It long has been my conviction that substations for the payment of water rates and other city taxes should be established for public convenience in numerous quarters of the city.

Favors Union Park Location.

"In this way the number of visitors to city headquarters would be so materially reduced that, compared with the county's case, there would be no necessity of a downtown location for the city building. To my my mind the best situation for a new city hall would be Union park, on the west side. It is connected with the downtown quarter by Washington boulevard and the elevated and street car lines. It also could be made the meeting point of two great diagonal avenues. Plans already have been drawn for extending Ogden avenue northeast to Lincoln park, and another diagonal street from northwest to southeast could be laid out, as has been suggested already."

Dedicated as Public Park.

When asked the feasibility of acquiring Union park as a site the mayor said:

"It probably would be cheaper to acquire this site than any other location. It was dedicated as a public park by S. S. Hayes, who once was city controller. It would be necessary to obtain a quitclaim deed of the property from the heirs of the Hayes estate. I am not sure this could be done, and if found impossible I should be in favor of condemning a square on the west side somewhere between Halsted street and the river."

This suggestion proved such a surprise to the committee that it was decided to postpone action until the official attitude of the city on the proposition could be learned. The mayor will submit the matter to the council.

RICH; HELPS BOY CARRY SOILED LINEN IN STREETS.

Kenosha Millionaire, Seeing Load Too Heavy for Washerwoman's Son, Takes Hold of Basket—Buys Wagon.

Kenosha, Wis., April 24.—[Special.]—Z. G. Simmons, president of the Simmons Manufacturing company and president of the Pikes Peak railway company of this city, and a financier of national reputation, had the strangest incident in his life this morning.

As is his custom, Mr. Simmons had started to his office just before 7 o'clock and as he was passing through Central park he happened to meet a ragged urchin carrying on his back a large basket of dirty clothing. The boy's name was Burdick, and his mother was a washerwoman.

Mr. Simmons saw that the load was too heavy for the boy and when he came up to him he asked him to set the basket down. Then Mr. Simmons took one end of the basket while the boy took the other, and the two carried it down Main street. It was a strange thing to see a millionaire like Mr. Simmons carrying a basket of soiled linen, and a crowd soon collected. Mr. Simmons only smiled and led the way to the nearest hardware shop, where he went in and told the dealer to put out the best pushcart he had in the shop for the boy. Then Mr. Simmons and the boy came out of the shop, both happy in their new purchase, and both pushing the cart they started off for the home of the boy.

During the last three or four years Mr. Simmons has presented to Kenosha and its various institutions nearly half a million of dollars, but none of his gifts has attracted more attention among the people of the city than the one to the little son of the washerwoman.

PRESIDENT KILLS TWO BEARS: FAVORITE HUNT DOG IS SLAIN.

Mr. Roosevelt Covers Thirty-five Miles on Horseback and Avenges Death of Spot, the Canine.

Camp Roosevelt, Colo., April 24.—[Special.]—Camp Roosevelt No. 2 is alternately joyous and sad tonight. Two brown bears are the cause of the jubilation, but Spot, John Goff's famous bear dog, was slain in a combat with bruin.

Spot was a fox terrier, who had higher ambition than rats or being a city pet, and for twelve years he has hunted bear with Goff, who said he was the best bear dog ever, and even Borah admits Spot was the best in this pack. All the rest are hounds and have not the courage of Spot.

Although blizzards raged east of the divide today, the weather here was perfect. From West Divide creek the president and party rode to Mamm creek, where they saw tracks of the first bear. Soon afterward Spot picked up the trail of the dead bear's mate, and the president and Wells were off after her. The chase lasted until late in the afternoon. Several times she was at bay, and Spot became impatient. The last time he rushed at the furious beast and she killed him with one blow. The president, an instant later, shot her. Both bears were small and the one that killed Spot approximately weighed 250 to 275 pounds.

The president, when he had returned to camp, had ridden thirty-five miles.

BRYAN TO DEFEND PAT CROWE?

St. Paul Conductor Has Fugitive for a Passenger and Learns Plans for Cudahy Kidnaping Defense.

Des Moines, Ia., April 24.—[Special.]—Pat Crowe is to give himself up to the police of Omaha, and will be defended against the Cudahy kidnaping charge by W. J. Bryan, whom he has retained. This is announced on the authority of a St. Paul railway conductor, who says he had the elusive Pat as a passenger from Donahue, Ia., to Davenport, and from whom he got his information.

4 DIE IN LOCAL OPTION FIGHT

Congressman Pinckney and Three Others Killed in Texas.

RANGERS ARE ORDERED OUT.

Clash Revives Political Feud and Further Trouble Is Expected.

Hempstead, Tex., April 24.—[Special.]—Four men killed, one of whom is Congressman Pinckney of Texas, two others seriously wounded, the ordering out of the Texas Rangers to preserve order, and the revival of several bitter political and family feuds were the outcome of a meeting held here tonight for the purpose of calling on the governor to send troops here to enforce the local option law.

J. N. Brown, a leading lawyer and a stanch anti-prohibitionist, began the shooting, which became general in an instant.

The Dead.

BROWN, J. N.
MILLS, JOHN, a leading prohibitionist.
PINCKNEY, CONGRESSMAN JOHN M.
PINCKNEY, TOM, brother of the congressman.

Doc Tompkins, private secretary to Congressman Pinckney, and Rolling Brown, son of J. N. Brown, are badly wounded, but just how seriously cannot now be determined.

Armed Men in Streets.

There are many armed men on the streets tonight.

When the trouble began Tompkins, the private secretary to Congressman Pinckney, was making a speech to a motion. Capt. Brown had the floor. He used language which was objected to and at the same time grasped Tompkins by the coat lapel. Congressman Pinckney sprang forward and the shooting began.

The shooting could be heard all over the town and all the streets were filled with frantic women whose husbands and brothers had gone to attend the meeting. These acted as a preventive of further trouble.

The adjutant general, according to a dispatch from Austin, left that city shortly before midnight for Hempstead aboard a special train with half a dozen rangers. At Manor the local military company was picked up and troops will arrive here early in the morning.

Special Train with Surgeons.

A special train was run from Houston with surgeons to attend the wounded. There has been bitter feeling for several years over the prohibition question, and the recent election, when the "antis" failed to gain the victory they had expected, added to this.

The whole county has been divided into factions as a result of the shooting. Recently Tucker Pinckney, a brother of John M. Pinckney, was shot to death by negroes.

The hall in which the shooting occurred was packed at the opening of tonight's meeting. Trouble was apparently expected, as when the firing commenced nearly every man in the room drew a weapon and commenced to fire. It is remarkable that the casualties were not greater.

Congressman Pinckney was a native of Texas, and served with distinction in the confederate army. He served ten years as district attorney for the Twenty-third judicial district of Texas and three years as judge of Waller county. He was elected to the Fifty-eighth congress Nov. 17, 1903, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of T. H. Ball.

Two Killed in Duel.

Bakersfield, Cal., April 24.—In the mining town of Havilah, today Newton Walker and Dave Burton fought a pistol duel, resulting in the instant death of Burton and a man named Bagsey. Walker made his escape and is now hiding in the mountains. A feud has existed between the Walker and Burton families for years, and the Burton killed today is the third member of the family to die a violent death.

BANK PRESIDENT STEALS $1,400,000

Frank G. Bigelow of Milwaukee First National Loses Enormous Sum in Speculation.

RUN BY DEPOSITORS FOLLOWS

Thousands of Panic-Stricken Men and Women Fight in Street for Chance to Get Their Money.

CHICAGO BANKERS TO THE RESCUE

Self-Confessed Embezzler Placed Under Arrest and Afterward Liberated Under Bonds of $25,000.

ASSISTANT CASHIER GOLL A FUGITIVE.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Milwaukee, Wis., April 24.—[Special.]—Frank G. Bigelow, president of the First National bank of this city, club member and church man, dabbler in Wall street, operator in May wheat, and general good fellow to all and sundry commercial and industrial concerns in which he had stock when they needed money, is a defaulter by his own confession to the extent of $1,400,000.

Every cent of this enormous sum has vanished into the quicksand of speculation, which also swallowed up $1,000,000 of Bigelow's own money.

And thus ends the career of the most popular man in Milwaukee, a man of generous instincts who has started scores of young men in life, a man to whom charity was a sacred duty, a man who started as messenger boy in the institution which he has placed in peril by his theft.

Released on $25,000 Bail.

Arrested this afternoon for violation of national banking laws he was able to secure $25,000 bond and was allowed to return to his home a broken and distracted man. His alder and abettor in crime, Assistant Cashier Goll, is a fugitive from justice.

Meanwhile the First National bank and other Milwaukee banks are preparing for a resumption of today's run that they are certain will come tomorrow.

Mayor Rose, the bankers, and citizens are doing everything in their power to avert what may become a financial catastrophe. They profess to be in a position to weather the storm. Several bankers said tonight that while depositors drew out their entire accounts early in the day many of them returned the money later. This they believe is an indication that the confidence is being restored.

Depositors Draw $1,300,000.

Nevertheless, during the run this afternoon, when thousands fought in Wisconsin street to get at the paying windows in the First National, $1,300,000 was withdrawn. The greater part of this sum passed through the wickets in three hours.

In the president's office, a few feet away, through a broken window, born of the emergency, friends of the bank were vainly attempting to stem the tide by their deposits, but the money they passed in was but a drop in the bucket.

Chicago Banks to the Rescue.

The chief measure of confidence came from the presence of three Chicago bankers, who have been with the First National directors every hour today giving them their advice and assistance, and bringing with them $1,100,000 in cash. They are James B. Forgan, president of the First National bank of Chicago; E. A. Hamill, president of the Corn Exchange bank; and Orson Smith, president of the Merchants' Loan and Trust company. The money they brought has not been placed in the bank's coffers and will not until the value of the securities offered therefor has been determined. The moral effect of the presence of the money, however, has been good.

"Goes Broke" on May Wheat.

The May wheat deal engineered by John W. Gates, which resulted so disastrously for its godfather on Saturday, was the last straw that broke Mr. Bigelow's speculative back.

Just exactly how much of the bank's money was shoveled into this attempted corner is not known. Neither is it known whether Mr. Bigelow chose the pastime of bulling the market of his own volition, whether his son Gordon lured him into the game, or whether, discovering that the young man was in the deal up to his ears, he stepped into the breach and tried to save the boy.

Sacrifice for His Son?

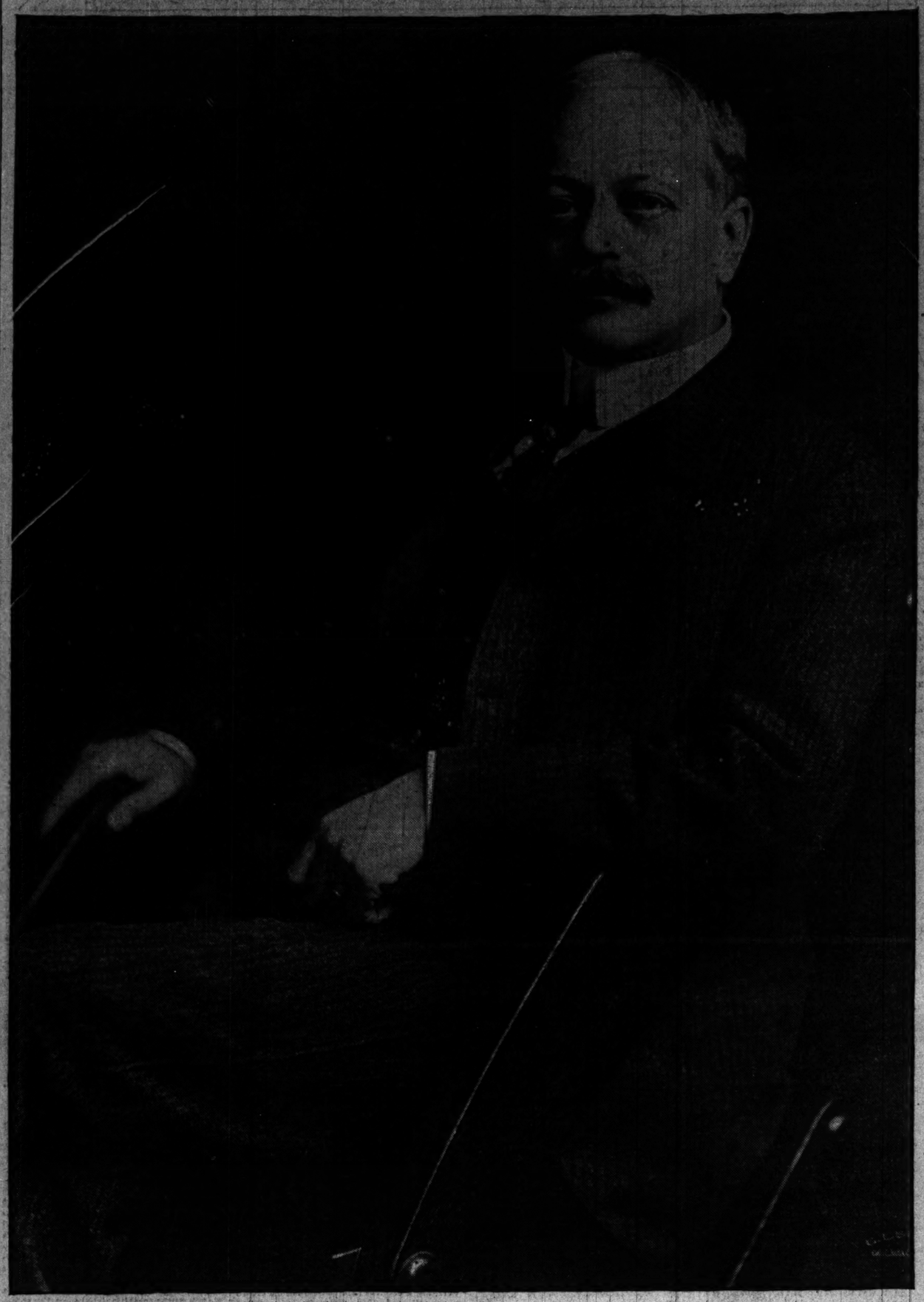
Bigelow will not say, but intimates that an effort to preserve his son's financial integrity is at the bottom of his troubles.

The youth, who was a member of the brokerage firm of Tracy & Co. of Chicago, and was kicked out by the other members of the firm as soon as his father's theft became known, has been a wild and persistent plunger on the board of trade. He has conducted his operations in Chicago, but tonight no firm is willing to acknowledge doing business for him.

Young Bigelow a High Roller.

Gordon Bigelow, whom many persons believe is to a great extent responsible for his father's misfortunes and dishonor, declines to say anything that will throw any light on his connection with the defalcation. He refused to see callers tonight. He declined either to say anything regarding his dis-

Frank G. Bigelow, Milwaukee Banker, Defaulter for $1,400,000.



charge by Tracy & Co. except that it was for business reasons that he had left the firm.

Young Bigelow is a high roller. He has an automobile, a yacht, and belongs to several expensive clubs. He has lived like a millionaire and has jousted with fortune in every conceivable way. He has been known to drop $1,500 on the turn of a card in faro. He was married six months ago.

Henry Goll, the missing assistant cashier, also was a heavy gambler. Some time ago he was called before the directors of the bank and warned he would have to stop. He kept his position through family influence.

Three Years of Speculation.

Mr. Bigelow, according to those who possess the closest information regarding his business operations, was a speculator in other enterprises of more legitimate character, but equally unfortunate, extending over a period of the last three years. These are referred to vaguely as "manufacturing enterprises."

He is known also to have been heavily interested in the North American company, a syndicate operating street cars in this city, St. Louis, and Detroit, the Allis-Chalmers company, and the National Electric company.

His Assets Are Small.

The present extent of his holdings in these trustworthy concerns may be gathered from the fact that in his efforts to cover his defalcations he was able to turn over to the directors of the First National not more than $284,000 on the most liberal estimate, and the directors after going over it scaled it down to $110,000. This included his life insurance, with a face value of $600,000 [and his greatest asset] and his homestead, worth in the neighborhood of $20,000.

Assistant Cashier Disappears.

According to the investigation by the directors Bigelow's defalcations began last December. They never would have been possible had it not been for the connivance of Henry Goll, the assistant cashier and executive head of the bank.

Cashier Goll tonight is a fugitive from the United States officers, who caused Bigelow's arrest. Two bookkeepers also are implicated in the embezzlement, but the directors are shielding them in consideration of their having furnished information which made the detection of Bigelow possible. How much Goll got away with is a question.

An attempt to arrest Goll was made by Deputy United States Marshal Walter N. Durbin, who went out to Goll's residence, 3025 Cedar street, late in the afternoon, but could find no trace of him. The maid who answered the call at the door refused to give any information concerning Mr. Goll's whereabouts, merely stating that he was not at home.

How Cashier Disappeared.

Mr. Goll was seen at 12:30 o'clock at the corner of Wisconsin and Cass streets by well known acquaintances, including a newspaper man and his wife. At the time Mr. Goll was walking back and forth restlessly on Cass street near Wisconsin, and when he saw the newspaper man he walked hastily north on Cass street to the corner of Mason.

The newspaper man, suspecting that Goll was preparing to take a train, walked east to the Juneau block and waited to see if Goll would return and go to the Northwestern depot, about a block away.

In a few minutes Goll came back to Wisconsin street, where he again walked up and down, first to one corner and then to the next. He appeared to be quite nervous and looked up and down the street as though expecting some one to meet him. This continued for fifteen minutes, when he disappeared. A Chicago train was due to leave at about that time, but whether Goll took it or not is not known.

How Stealing Was Done.

The officers of the bank have a nebulous idea only of how the stealing was done. Bigelow in the little that he has said speaks of falsifying the books, but only in general terms.

The connivance of two bookkeepers was necessary. They made false entries amounting to many hundreds of thousands of dollars on the orders of Assistant Cashier Goll, who received his instructions from Bigelow. Several false entries have been found indicating that sums as high as $100,000 had been sent to the First National bank, the Corn Exchange, and the Merchants' Loan and Trust company, the Chicago correspondents of the Milwaukee institution, when as a matter of fact the money went into Bigelow's speculative swamp.

For instance, when Mr. Bigelow desired to draw out a sum of money a draft or check would be drawn payable to a Chicago bank. When the account of the Chicago bank would come back it would be O. K.'d by Cashier Goll, and the bookkeepers who were in the transaction would make the proper entries.

Collection Accounts Manipulated.

Collection accounts were manipulated to the extent of 40 and in some instances 50 per cent, to make it appear that the reserve fund was intact, and the amount of the increased collection fund was diverted to special stock operations.

The reserve maintained in eastern banks was tampered with, the books of the First National being fixed so that the reserve appeared to be larger by several hundreds of thousands of dollars than it really was. These and other methods were pursued by Bigelow in looting the bank.

The manipulation of accounts has been going on for months, according to the statement of one of the directors, but so cleverly was the work done that neither the directors nor the national bank examiners were able to discover the fact that anything was wrong with the funds of the bank.

Bookkeeper Weakens and Confesses.

These bookkeepers, awed by the magnitude of the defalcations, could not keep silent, and one of them, with the knowledge of the other, went last Friday night to Charles F. Pfister, the director who has a finger in nearly everything in Milwaukee, and confessed. The other directors were communicated with. A special meeting of the board was called on Saturday night, and President Bigelow was bluntly accused of robbing the bank.

Bigelow's Cool Confession.

In confessing Bigelow said he had a painful statement to make—a confession that he had misdirected the funds of the bank, and that an examination of his books and a comparison of figures would show that he was indebted to the bank to the amount of over $1,450,000.

This money, he said, had been lost in speculation in wheat and stocks. Not a dollar of it could be recovered, and the only sum he could offer toward recompensating the bank was personal securities valued at approximately $300,000.

Bigelow said he had become involved in speculation several months ago. This was on Wall street. More recently he had been a persistent bull in the wheat market, and recent loss there had added to heavy reverses on Wall street. From small manipulations of the bank's funds he had extended the defalcations until his shortage had reached the present stage. He saw no opportunity or possibility of making up the amount, and therefore confessed.

Mr. Bigelow declared that none of the securities or collaterals of the bank had been touched. He admitted, however, that he had done away with the surplus.

It is stated that the president of the institution exhibited no particular contrition as to his deeds, and apparently did not realize the enormity of his offense.

Makes Small Restitution.

Mr. Bigelow was informed that he must turn over immediately whatever property or securities he possessed to the directors.

Bigelow consented to do this and the restitution brought the amount of the defalcation down to between $1,100,000 and $1,200,000. It is stated that the securities turned over by Mr. Bigelow consisted of insurance policies, stock in the National Electric company, real estate holdings, and miscellaneous collateral.

Crime Stuns the Directors.

The stupendous amount of the defalcation stunned the directors. Mr. Bigelow had been recognized as one of the foremost financiers of the northwest. He has been associated with the First National bank in various capacities for more than fifteen years and his business connections—trust companies, manufacturing concerns, real estate deals, and other similar ventures number scores. He was honored a year ago by election to the presidency of the American Bankers' association, and by its members was looked upon as a leader in financial matters.

All of Saturday night, all of yesterday these men sat in the private room of the bank, discussed the situation and planned to save the bank from the run which inevitably would follow publication of the news.

Directors Raise $1,635,000.

The meeting, which was almost continuous for thirty-six hours, was stormy at times. Several plans were suggested for protecting the interests of the bank. One was to accept the resignation of the president, permit him to go to Europe, and the directors make good the amount of his shortage. This would effectually protect the bank. The proposal met with determined opposition from directors who demanded that the defaulter be punished. The plan to make up the shortage was then approved, the various directors subscribing the following amounts:

C. F. Pfister	$600,000
Fred Vogel Jr.	300,000
John I. Beggs	300,000
E. Mariner	150,000
Fred T. Goll	50,000
George P. Miller	50,000
J. H. Van Dyke	50,000
F. J. Kipp	50,000
Albert G. Trostel	25,000
August H. Vogel	10,000
William Bigelow	100,000

Directors Sign Pledges.

Attached to this was the following agreement:

"'For value received we, the undersigned, severally agree to advance and pay to the First National bank of Milwaukee, Wis., the sums set opposite our respective names, as the same may be needed, for the payment on demand of all deposits now in said bank or which within thirty days from this date may be placed therein. Our claims hereunder for reimbursement shall be subordinate and postponed to the claims of all depositors and other creditors.'"

A resolution then was adopted removing Mr. Bigelow from the presidency of the bank and Henry Goll, assistant cashier, from his position.

Appeal to Chicago Bankers.

It was decided also to notify the presidents of three Chicago banks of the conditions that faced the Milwaukee institution, and to have them in readiness to offer aid if it should be needed. Two directors went to Chicago Sunday afternoon, where they called on President Forgan of the First National bank. He called in Orson Smith of the Merchants' Loan and Trust and E. A. Hamill of the Corn Exchange National bank. They decided to come to Milwaukee at once to look over the situation.

The Chicago bankers arrived in Milwaukee this morning at 5 o'clock and went immediately to the Pfister hotel, where later they were met by Mr. Pfister and other directors.

Several hundred thousand dollars in gold was transferred to the First National by local banks, so that institution was prepared for the run that was expected. Every precaution had been taken to keep the fact of the shortage from the public until the affairs of the bank could be put in condition to meet any emergencies that might arise.

Planning for Delay.

The first thing the directors did after they had arranged for the funds to care for the inevitable rush of depositors was to prevent the news from getting to the public before the arrival of the $1,400,000 from Chicago. They conceded in advance that they could not keep the news from the public; but they decided to try to induce the newspapers to hold back the facts until afternoon.

Accordingly representatives of the several Milwaukee publishers were invited to meet in Mayor Rose's office at 9 o'clock, the plan being for the bank's attorneys to explain the situation. The plan, however, miscarried.

Story Fixed for Newspapers.

The directors had prepared for presentation to the newspaper publishers an official statement to the effect that $1,635,000 had been subscribed and stating further:

"'While the defalcation is in the gross about $1,500,000, Frank G. Bigelow has turned over to the bank property in value exceeding $300,000. This, it is stated, reduces the amount of the shortage to between $1,100,000 and $1,200,000. This is a sum equal to about the total of the surplus and undivided profits of the bank, which together amount, it is stated, to about $1,200,000.

"'Against this net loss the directors have agreed in writing to place at the disposal of the bank as it may be needed the sum of $1,635,000, or any amount in excess of the net loss to the bank by over $400,000 and in excess of the gross defalcation by $135,000. That is the sum to be advanced and will meet the defalcation of $1,500,000, and there would be $135,000 still advanced to the needs of the bank.'"

Reporters Get the News.

With this statement Charles Quarles and George P. Miller, legal representatives of the bank, went to the mayor's office at 10 o'clock. There they found a number of newspaper reporters waiting for their regular morning interview with Mayor Rose. Thinking they were the publishers' representatives, they left the statements with the reporters. It wasn't more than five minutes before everybody in the building had heard about it.

The news spread like wildfire. City Treasurer William Graebner, who has $300,000 of Milwaukee's money in the bank, got there first and prepared to draw it out. Mayor Rose was sent for and a discussion ensued between the two officials. It ended in the city money being left in the bank.

One prominent business man withdrew $100,000, the first large sum, while the discussion was in progress. Then more depositors, mostly small ones, began coming in. Some of them were city employes, who had got the news at the city hall. Many people paused to look curiously at the bank. At 11:30, when the question was put to him directly by an anxious depositor, Mayor Rose admitted that there had been a defalcation. He did not give the amount and said that the institution was safe.

Then the Run Begins.

In a few minutes the report had spread over the city. Street cars from all directions filled with apprehensive depositors stopped near the bank. Telephones were so busy that the operators were driven almost distracted. By the noon hour the street began to fill with people. A line of depositors had already began to form. Anticipating trouble Mayor Rose sent for a detail of police.

In Wisconsin street long lines of depositors extended from the main entrance of the bank up to Broadway and the street and sidewalks in the neighborhood were thronged with curious people from all over the city. As the process of paying regular depositors is quicker than that of those whose funds are in the savings department there was less disorder among them, and the police had little to do beyond keeping the lines intact and keeping the people who were not interested in the bank from blocking the way.

Run Becomes a Panic.

By 1 o'clock the crowds had become so large, both of depositors in the regular department and in the savings department, that it was declared that something must be done to prevent the run from assuming gigantic proportions. Large printed copies of the pledge signed by the directors and stockholders were posted in conspicuous places in front of the bank and inside the institution, and John I. Beggs, one of the directors, made a statement to the depositors in the savings department. Mr. Beggs assured the people that there was no cause for alarm, and the examination of the affairs of the bank had developed the fact that it was in a perfectly solvent condition.

The crowd was made up of all classes and people in all walks of life. Outside the savings department six brawny policemen were stationed to prevent vast mobs from pressing against the windows, fearing that they would be crushed in. The big pane of plate glass could be seen bending in and out, while the police vainly struggled, argued, and pushed. Efforts were made to handle the people as gently as possible, and Chief Janssen was present to direct his men. Policemen were stationed at intervals along the lines.

Women Struggle in the Crowd.

Women in latest spring attire struggled with women whose clothing indicated they belonged to poorer classes, motormen, and street car conductors were to be seen in the lines, and in the mad effort to gain the portals of the bank clothing was torn and people were crowded without mercy.

The police also came in for a considerable share of vituperation. No one was apparently seriously injured, for the police managed to avoid actual violence and took the taunts of excited depositors in a good natured way.

Mayor Rose busied himself about the crowd for a time trying to reassure friends whom he met that there was no reason for alarm, and at about 7 o'clock he went inside the bank, where the directors and other prominent bankers of the city were gathered.

Mayor Rose Appeals to Crowd.

The mayor was requested to make a statement to the depositors on behalf of the directors, and as soon as he had obtained a copy of the guarantee of the directors he mounted the onyx railing directly in front of the place where President Bigeldw's desk was formerly located and managed to obtain silence.

"I want you depositors to listen to me for a moment," said the mayor in his best voice. "This bank has been doing a banking business all day. It has been receiving money from outside people from whoever wished to deposit it. If this bank cannot pay its debts every director has laid himself liable to criminal prosecution, and he knows it.

"I want to tell you that every dollar I have in the world is in this bank. It is not much, but it is a good deal more than I can afford to lose. If I didn't have absolute confidence that the bank is perfectly solvent I would draw it out.

"You people who are drawing your money out now will be anxious to come back tomorrow and redeposit it when you see how causeless your fears have been. You may be in the position of one old lady who drew out $100 and lost it before she got across the street. I fear if this condition continues we may have such another panic in this city as in 1893."

Deposit Cash in Broken Window.

While the mayor was speaking an effort was made to reassure the crowd by a number of business men who had confidence in the bank. These came with money in their hands to deposit it, but could not get into the building owing to the press of those struggling to withdraw their money.

Seeing their predicament one of the directors, drawing a diamond ring from his finger, scratched a diagonal space across the lower part of the middle window of the main office. A blow from a hammer, and a diagonal space with a range of eighteen inches appeared. Through this opening friends of the bank deposited their money directed by a large sign. Some of the crowd cheered. The money was received by a clerk over the marble top of a radiator. Between $40,000 and $50,000 was received thus.

The bank officials expect another run today and have asked for a detail of twenty policemen to handle the crowds. An extra force of clerks will be on hand to expedite the cashing of depositors' checks.

Details of Bigelow's Arrest.

The arrest of Mr. Bigelow followed his confession to the board of directors. The complaint was sworn to by United States District Attorney H. K. Butterfield. It charges that Bigelow, as president of the First National bank, embezzled a sum exceeding $100,000. A complaint and warrant identical with those in Bigelow's case were made out to Henry G. Goll, assistant cashier of the bank, but Goll could not be found up to a late hour tonight.

The complaint was made by the following directors:

Charles F. Pfister, formerly political boss of Wisconsin, owner of the Pfister hotel and the Milwaukee Sentinel.

John I. Beggs, president of the Milwaukee Electric Street Railway and Lighting company and a director of the Northern American company.

E. Mariner.

George P. Miller, attorney for the bank.

Four Directors Summoned.

With the warrants for the arrest of Bigelow and Goll subpœnas were issued also for the appearance of Directors George P. Miller, Ephraim Mariner, John I. Beggs, and Charles F. Pfister to appear at the hearing before Court Commissioner Bloodgood, but these were not served, Mr. Bigelow waiving preliminary examination.

Mr. Miller was in consultation with Mr. Butterfield early in the afternoon, but it was not until 4 o'clock that it was announced the warrants would be issued. Another hour passed before the complaint had been sworn to before the court commissioner and the warrants made out. Marshal Reid personally took charge of the arrest of Mr. Bigelow and Deputy Durbin was sent out on his fruitless search for Mr. Goll.

Bigelow Arrested at Home.

Reid went for his man on a street car. Arriving at the house he noticed two women sitting in the library window, but they disappeared as he approached. The ring of the door bell was immediately answered by Mr. Bigelow personally, who threw open the door wide and said:

"Hello, Tom."

"Hello, Mr. Bigelow," responded Marshal Reid. "I have some papers to serve on you."

"Come on into the house," replied Mr. Bigelow, apparently not taken by surprise. "Have you them with you? I suppose I can read them."

Takes His Arrest Calmly.

Standing quietly in a group in the library, Marshal Reid handed the formal complaint of the United States district attorney, which Mr. Bigelow read aloud for the benefit of his wife, who was in the room.

"All right," said Mr. Bigelow, after reading the document.

He displayed little emotion and called for his coat and hat. Five minutes after Marshal Reid stepped off the car, he was starting on the return trip to the federal building with Mr. Bigelow in his custody.

As Mr. Bigelow and the marshal stepped into the hallway for the street, Mrs. Bigelow ran after her husband and kissed him at the door. Little emotion was displayed by either, although Mr. Bigelow was apparently struggling against letting his wife read in his face the state of his feelings.

Tells Wife Not to Worry.

"You will telephone me right away?" asked Mrs. Bigelow.

"Yes," he replied. "Don't worry; everything will come out all right. I think I will be back tonight."

Mrs. Bigelow returned into the house and as the door closed, the marshal's party walked down the steps into the street.

"I believe I would rather walk than take the car," said Mr. Bigelow to Marshal Reid, as they reached the sidewalk. "Will it be all right for us to walk?"

"Certainly," responded Mr. Reid. "It will be all right. The day is fine."

"Yes, this is fine weather," responded Mr. Bigelow, simply, but with small show of enthusiasm.

Several times on the way to the Federal building Mr. Bigelow returned to the subject of the weather, remarking on the warmth of the air and the clearness of the sky. The party walked slowly down the street, and Mr. Bigelow inquired with a great deal of interest about the run on the bank, how many people were there, how much had been paid out to depositors, and how much had been received on deposit.

"Did you leave the bank this morning before the run commenced?" was asked.

"Yes; how much of a run was there?"

When told there was a large crowd of people around the bank doors and the corners of the streets during the greater part of the day, Mr. Bigelow looked anxious and wanted to know how much had been withdrawn.

Declares Bank Is Solid.

"The bank is solid and it can stand the run," said Mr. Bigelow quickly. "Everybody will get his money back."

He was interested in the fact that an opening had been cut in the large plate glass windows so that the clerks might receive deposits and asked many questions in trying to learn how large a sum had been received. When asked how he had got himself and the bank into such condition he shrugged his shoulders and said:

"I started in a small way, but got in deeper and deeper until it was too much for me."

He would not discuss the subject further, and when questions were asked him concerning his son's affairs he replied evasively and seemed to be trying to shield him.

Arriving at the federal building the party took the elevator and went immediately to the court commissioner's room. Mr. Bigelow was taken into the private office of United States District Attorney Butterfield and there he made his arrangements to secure signers on his bond, using the telephone. He was closeted here for some time, while all other proceedings were at a standstill.

Shows Sign of the Strain.

Having arranged for Dr. Brown and Mr. McGeoch to go on his bond, Mr. Bigelow returned to the courtroom and sat quietly in one corner. At times he slowly drew his hand across his forehead and seemed lost in thought until a movement in the room caused him to raise his head with a jerk. Then he would fix his eyes for a time on the ceiling, with his hands clasped around his hat, which rested in his lap. His coat was thrown across his knees and one leg was thrown over the other knee carelessly.

For some time he sat in silence and then began to ask short questions, in an inaudible tone of Dr. Brown, who had come in answer to the telephone call.

When Mr. McGeoch arrived the district attorney came in from his office and the proceedings were commenced. Mr. Bigelow arose, laid aside his coat, and took a chair beside the court commissioner's desk.

Hears the Complaint Read.

"A complaint has been made by the United States attorney before the court commissioner charging you with having—"

Mr. Bigelow arose as Mr. Butterfield commenced to read the complaint and took a position at the side of the court commissioner's desk facing the district attorney. He rested heavily on his arms, his hands spread out on the desk. His head hung down on his chest and his eyes partly closed during the reading of the complaint.

"'You are not asked to answer or plead,' said the district attorney. "We only ask you if you want to be represented by attorneys."

Waives an Examination.

"I do not. I waive examination," responded Mr. Bigelow, in a firm voice.

"If you wish to waive examination and give bail then the next question is to fix the amount of the bond," said Mr. Butterfield. "I would suggest that the bond be fixed at $25,000 for Mr. Bigelow."

Mr. Bigelow resumed his seat and made no protest at the amount of the bond. He said Dr. H. M. Brown and N. C. McGeoch would furnish the amount, and inquired if that was satisfactory to the court.

"That bond is ample and sufficient security for Mr. Bigelow's appearance at the hearing," said Mr. Butterfield. "This department is satisfied with these men for bondsmen."

While the bonds were being made out and signed Mr. Bigelow sat silently in a far corner. When asked if he had any statement to make, he said:

"No, nothing further than what I said earlier in the day when asked for a statement."

This statement made earlier in the day was as follows:

"I do not wish to try to excuse my action at all, nor to say anything about motives I had no right to have. The big men in our board of directors will make the bank better and stronger than ever and they are entitled to all praise and confidence. My family has always been kept in ignorance of conditions and has not been to blame for methods of living."

Mr. Bigelow is held for examination before the grand jury which may be called together the latter part of next month.

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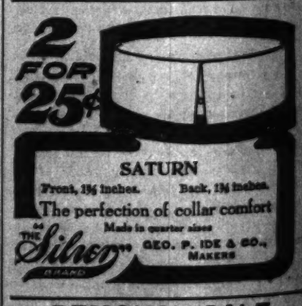

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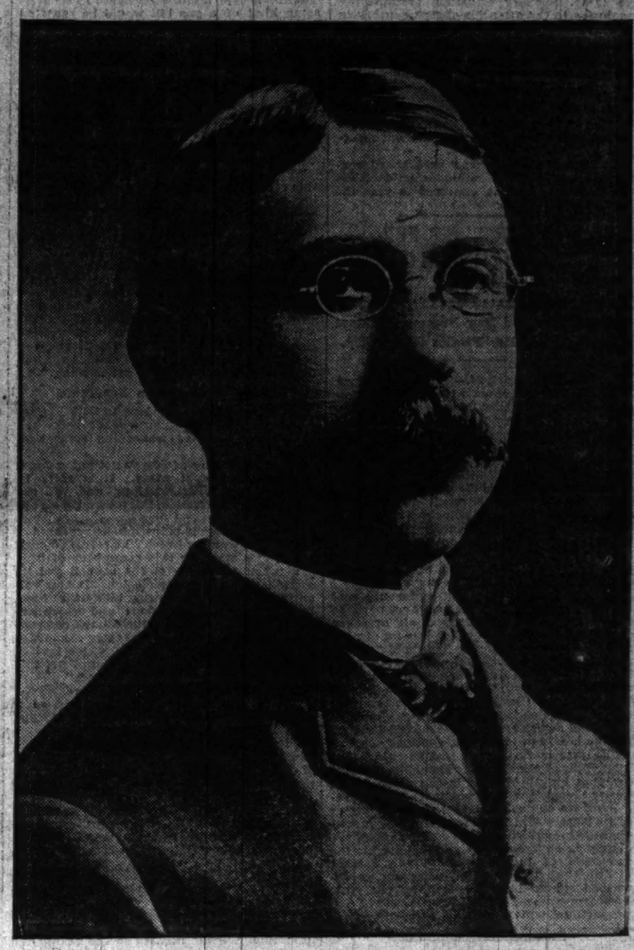
GORDON BIGELOW, WHO TURNED THE MONEY INTO THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Son of Frank G. Bigelow and member until yesterday of the firm of Tracy & Co., bankers, of Chicago, New York, and Milwaukee. F. G. Bigelow's defalcation is due largely to his faith in his son's ability to win in speculations. Young Bigelow used up much of the money in wheat, and lost heavily in the Gates deal.

DEPOSITORS MAKING A RUN ON FIRST NATIONAL BANK, MILWAUKEE, YESTERDAY.
[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE by Klein & Gutterstein, Milwaukee.]

WILLIAM BIGELOW.

Brother of Frank G. Bigelow. He deeded over his $100,000 house to help make good his brother's shortage.



HENRY G. GOLL, ASSISTANT CASHIER.

He Helped President Bigelow Falsify the Books to Cover Up the Shortage.

CHICAGO BANKERS GO TO THE RESCUE

Three Presidents on 2:45 A. M. Train to the Aid of Milwaukee Finances.

DEFAULTER'S SON LET GO.

Tracy & Co. and Other Brokers Here Deny Making the Bigelow Grain Trades.

The news of the defalcation of President F. G. Bigelow of the First National bank of Milwaukee came as a great surprise to Chicago bankers and stock brokers. It was the one subject of talk in banks and on the stock exchange all yesterday afternoon.

While expressions of amazement at the vast extent of President Bigelow's losses were most frequent, yet here and there, among those best acquainted with the elder Bigelow's financial affairs, it was declared that some such catastrophe as the one now revealed was not wholly unexpected. There were some who stated that the elder Bigelow had been a "trader" for a long time, but they hastened to add that his operations were always carried on with apparent conservation and that his dealings were safely margined.

In this connection it was recalled that the elder Bigelow was some years ago a member of a grain commission house in Chicago of the name of E. A. Bigelow & Co., the E. A. Bigelow being a brother.

Leading bankers of the city expressed their regret that a bank official of such prominence as Mr. Bigelow and at so mature an age had fallen a victim to the speculative mania.

Bankers Go at 2:45 A. M.

Inquiry at the First National, Corn Exchange, and Merchants' Loan and Trust company banks disclosed the information that the presidents of these three institutions had departed for Milwaukee at 2:45 yesterday morning and that $1,100,000 had been forwarded to them a few hours later to use as their judgment dictated to assist the First National bank of Milwaukee in averting any serious difficulty for lack of ready funds.

President J. B. Forgan of the First National bank was first notified on Sunday by some of the directors of the Milwaukee bank who came to Chicago to discuss the situation with him and ask his advice and assistance. This conference was held late into the night and the situation seemed so imperatively to demand immediate action that two other Chicago bankers were summoned to the conference by Mr. Forgan at a late hour Sunday.

Those bankers were Ernest A. Hamill, president of the Corn Exchange National, and Orson Smith, president of the Merchants' Loan and Trust company. They, together with Mr. Forgan, agreed to go to Milwaukee and arrange for immediate relief should a run be started on the Milwaukee institution. They left instructions for the coöperation of their respective banks and then took the 2:45 a. m. mail train on the Northwestern road.

In obedience to their instructions the currency was shipped to them on a later train after the bank vaults were opened. The First National contributed $500,000, the Corn Exchange National $350,000, and the Merchants' Loan and Trust company $250,000.

To Protect Sister Institution.

B. H. Forgan, vice president of the First National, said in the afternoon that the action taken by his bank was not in any way for its own protection but was to assist a sister institution and was done out of a sentiment of neighborly feeling. He added:

"Like our bank has been the correspondent of the Milwaukee bank, it is not a creditor and the ledger probably would show that we owed them instead of vice versa. The bank has not been a borrower here or elsewhere that I know of, and is regarded as a gilt edged institution."

A. A. Moulton, vice president of the Corn Exchange National, said the action taken by their bank had not been to protect it from any possible disastrous effects that might befall through any embarrassment of the Milwaukee bank.

"Neither Mr. Bigelow nor his bank owes us anything," said Mr. Moulton. "In fact, there is a little balance in favor of the Milwaukee bank on our books. We sent up $350,000 to Mr. Hamill today, but what use he will put it to I do not know. It is possible it will be loaned to the directors of the First National in Milwaukee if they desire to borrow it and put up security. The directors of that institution are abundantly able to take care of the loss."

To "Use His Judgment."

At the Merchants' Loan and Trust bank it was stated that the bank had sent $250,000 to President Smith to use as his judgment dictated.

It was explained by other bankers that the relations between Chicago and Milwaukee banks had always been intimate and cordial, and that the action taken by the Chicago banks in coming to the assistance of the Milwaukee bank was a most natural thing. At the time of the Chicago fire, it was recalled, a good share of Chicago's banking business was transacted temporarily in the sister city. The two cities are considered to belong practically to the same banking territory.

Banker's Son Is "Fired."

Intelligence of the Bigelow defalcation became public in Chicago at noon, and the effect of the announcement was noticeable immediately in the stock market.

Coincident with the news from Milwaukee came the announcement that Gordon Bigelow, son of President Bigelow, had severed his connection with the local stock and bond firm of Tracy & Co., of which he had been a member for two years, although living in Milwaukee most of the time. The official announcement of young Bigelow's retirement from the Tracy firm bore the signature of all the members and ran as follows:

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Tracy & Co. is hereby dissolved, by mutual consent, Mr. Gordon Bigelow retiring. The remaining members of the firm will continue as heretofore, assuming all obligations.

WILLIAM W. TRACY,
A. N. MCGEOCH,
GORDON BIGELOW,
J. C. JAMES,
R. D. COVINGTON.

Son Acts for Father.

A great number of conflicting reports were current as to the way in which the Bigelows could have lost above a million and a half of dollars without attracting suspicion long ago. The most generally expressed opinion was that the operations of the father were carried on through the son and that the two must have been heavy operators in May wheat for several months to have become involved so heavily. The Tracy firm denied that either the father or son had conducted operations in wheat through that house.

W. W. Tracy, president of the brokerage concern in which Gordon Bigelow was a partner until news of the failure precipitated his expulsion, said:

"Neither F. G. Bigelow nor his son has done any trading through this house in wheat or other grains for months. So the affair does not affect us at all. Young Bigelow was to have left the firm May 1, according to an agreement made two months ago, but the turn of affairs today made it necessary for us to request his resignation sooner."

When asked regarding long May wheat, said to be on his books, Mr. Tracy added: "We had some wheat for the big 'longs,' but none for either Gordon Bigelow or his father. The young man has been a member of the house for about two years. He spent most of his time in Milwaukee and came to Chicago only at irregular intervals and then only for short visits. He was frequently accompanied by his wife, and they stopped at a hotel, as they had no Chicago residence. Arthur McGeoch, President Bigelow's son-in-law, is still a member of our firm."

House Active in Wheat Market.

Not only did Mr. Tracy deny that the Bigelows had operated in grain through his firm but he denied any knowledge of their operations through other houses. It was the opinion of some commission houses, however, that Tracy & Co. did not themselves deal directly in the grain pits, but gave their grain accounts to other commission houses in exchange for stock business. One broker said that during the winter months the Tracy house had been active in the wheat market and had scalped the market on the bull side, and taken advantage of the frequent bulges to net its customers "nice profits." Occasionally the firm got a setback, but usually it was "right."

Living at a Fast Pace.

It was said by men close to Gordon Bigelow that for some time he had been speculating heavily in stocks and wheat, and had been spending a good deal of money in "fast living." Financial matters had not been going well with him for months, and he is said to have sought consolation in drink.

It was supposed generally that these tendencies were largely responsible for the original request for his resignation from the firm. It was said also that out of consideration for the father, before the Milwaukee crash, the resignation was to take effect on May 1, when such changes do not attract general attention.

John W. Gates, reputed leader of the recent May wheat deal that collapsed so completely last Saturday, spent a considerable part of the day at the office of Charles G. Gates & Co. in the Railway Exchange building. It is said he was a seller of Northern Securities stock in the hope of recouping some of his alleged losses in May wheat. When asked if he knew Gordon Bigelow or his father, the elder Mr. Gates is said to have denied having any acquaintance with them.

Brokers Densely Ignorant.

Several local grain houses were mentioned as carrying on young Bigelow's trades. General denial was forthcoming quickly. These were houses that had direct connection with the Milwaukee market.

"We never have had a trade on our books for Bigelow, senior or junior," said W. S. Jackson, president of the board of trade and senior member of the firm of Jackson Bros. & Co. "I was surprised and pained to hear of the affair, as I have known Frank Bigelow for years. I have heard nothing of the details, as we were not directly interested."

F. P. Frazier of Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington said: "We know nothing of Bigelow Jr., and have done nothing for him in the market."

The fact that Knight, Donnelley & Co. were large sellers of May wheat during the day and that they have a private wire to Milwaukee, gave rise to the theory that their selling might have been for Bigelow. The firm, however, denied having any dealings with the Bigelows.

"We have had no account with either Bigelow, father or son," said E. H. Reed, manager of the grain department, "and have sold no wheat for them. We know absolutely nothing of their affairs."

The firm of Kneeland, Clement & Curtis was mentioned as having conducted large dealings of late for the younger Bigelow. The firm denied this report emphatically.

Says the Son Was "Bearish."

Oscar F. Lindman, who handles a large trade with Milwaukee, and who was reported to have acted for Bigelow, said:

"I have understood that F. G. Bigelow had made considerable investments in smaller industrial concerns in Milwaukee and had become cramped financially because of the poor success of many of these ventures. I never heard of his speculating in grain. I have had no wheat bought for Gordon Bigelow lately, but I have talked with him about the market and know he has been feeling bearish on it for some time, and I cannot believe he has been caught in the May deal."

The elder Bigelow is said to be a member of the executive committee of the Northwestern Life Insurance company, and it is reported that Tracy & Co. were given a goodly share of the bond business of this company. It is said that the firm also built up a flourishing business in Milwaukee, and that the name of the Bigelows and the McGeochs contributed materially to their success in that city.

Recalls Dundee Defalcation.

It was recalled by commission men that suits brought by the First National bank of Dundee, Ill., last fall, to recover $25,000 lost by their defaulting cashier, Wright, in speculation, are now pending against Tracy & Co., who acted as Wright's brokers.

Wright's transactions with the brokerage firm were carried on by him as "E. Linn" of Elgin and always by letter, although it is the contention of the bank that Tracy & Co. should have had their suspicions aroused to such an extent as to warrant an investigation of the identity of their customer. Such an investigation, the bank contends, would have revealed the fact that the cashier was speculating with the bank's money.

Wright, on trial, was found guilty of embezzlement, and now is serving a sentence in the penitentiary.

THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PICTURE.

It is the easiest thing in the world to kick a man when he is down. In the clamor of indignation at a self-confessed defaulting banker there rises one voice, not in defense of Mr. Bigelow's acts, but in protest against his condemnation before the facts are known.

The following communication, received at midnight, is marked by such a unique note of human kindness that THE TRIBUNE gladly makes room for it at a time when the subject most needs it:

FRANK G. BIGELOW.
AN APPRECIATION.

We have grown used to forgetting these days, and unthinking persons the country over are tonight, perhaps, joking over the defalcation of Frank G. Bigelow, forgetting that there is another side, that as they joke thousands of hearts are bleeding for this man, hearts from which he has many times lifted a heavy load. Hundreds of homes are in deepest sorrow, homes which would, perhaps, long ago have capitulated before the onslaught of care and want had it not been for his generous help.

Frank G. Bigelow was a humanitarian of the broadest type. He has "made" more young business men than any man in the middle west. He loved young men. He loved children. He was one of the few "Olympians" who could scale the formidable wall protecting the "Court of Boyville."

Never yet have I heard of a worthy young man in business trouble being turned away by him. His glorious smile would give a gleam of welcome and hope to the humblest of those seeking his aid, and with the smile would go the help needed. It is said in Milwaukee that he has started a thousand young men in business, and that not one of them has failed. It was not alone his financial help which made them invincible. It was his implicit confidence, his counsel, the grip of his hand, the gleam in his eyes, the optimism radiating from him which forced the faltering ones on to success.

You must know all this to appreciate his downfall and how it came.

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I have never forgotten my first meeting him. He was a young man then, already rising in the bank in which he had begun as messenger; a young man of whom Milwaukee was proud. He came in upon us at a church lawn party; his wife beside him, a plain little woman, every inch a mother, and between the two, all hand in hand, were three little brown babies in blue gingham dresses. I was a boy then, and that father endeared himself to every youngster there. He understood us, our games and ways, our likes and dislikes, and we knew that he loved us, every towhaired rascal of the crowd.

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The youngest of those three brown babies, his oldest boy, is the one who has cused his father's downfall. As a youngster he was a daredevil, the leader of the gang, the "King of Boyville." As a young man he sowed his wild oats and he sowed them thick and plentiful, but though the oats were wild they were clean; there was no rust on them. The father's heart bled, but it never hardened against his boy. Mayhap, as is the way with hearts, it softened a bit with the bleeding. As often as the boy would fall the father would pick him up, would start him with a clean slate. He had done it for other boys. Could he do less for his own? And the boy became a man and put his boyish ways behind him, but he was still masterful, still the leader of the gang. He took dips into the stock market and won. He invested in manufacturing enterprises, and won. He bought wheat, and won. Last week in Milwaukee they talked of Gordon Bigelow as a broker who "had arrived."

Through it all the father had helped him, but he had not guided. The boy was not that sort. He worked on his own initiative. The father saw his successes, his level judgment, his foresight, his almost intuitive knowledge of the game. He loved the boy—this boy who had made his heart bleed, and he was growing proud of him.

No one knows the rest, no one but the father and son, and perhaps the gentle little woman who has been the wife of one, the mother of the other, the companion of them both. The supreme moment came. The son was playing a big game. Failure was imminent for him, success probable if a stay could be secured.

So this man who loved boys, this man who had made possible the business success of a thousand young men, this man who had never in his life refused a half way worthy request for help, stooped to save the boy who had most hurt him, the boy whom, perhaps, he most loved.

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The law can have no pity, can make no exceptions; but you who judge this man, remember the other side; remember that there are thousands of us tonight whose hearts are bleeding for the man we loved, for this man who has stood by us in our hours of trouble; remember this and be charitable.

C. L. PEIRCE JR.

BANK'S LATEST STATEMENT.

Financial condition of the plundered bank at the date of its latest financial statement, March 14:

RESOURCES.

Loans	$13,646,336
United States bonds	700,000
Premium on United States bonds	35,000
Investment securities	918,062
Real estate	90,648
Cash and due from banks	5,177,210
Total	$19,567,271

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 1,500,000
Surplus	500,000
Undivided profits	642,323
Circulation	350,000
Deposits	16,574,948
Total	$19,567,271

DIRECTORS.

F. G. Bigelow, president.
William Bigelow, vice president.
E. Mariner. John I. Beggs.
George P. Miller. F. Vogel Jr.
Fred T. Goll. J. H. Van Dyke Jr.
C. F. Pfister.

BIGELOW'S CAREER IN FINANCE.

Defaulting Banker Identified with Many Companies in Which He Was a Power.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Milwaukee, Wis., April 24.—[Special.]—Frank G. Bigelow's name as a banker and financier was national, and locally no one was better known socially or in a business way. He was prominently identified with various companies, commercial associations, and clubs. In private life he created about himself an ideal home and was noted for the extent and frequency of his charitable benefactions. There was no business venture of any size entered into in Milwaukee that he was not consulted about, and his connection with an enterprise was taken as evidence of its intrinsic worth.

Until last year he was president of the Bankers' National association, and at its annual meeting in New York last summer received marked attention from the greatest financiers in the country. He is still at the head of its executive committee.

He is a trustee of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, a member of its executive committee and of its finance committee. He has been associated with the National Electric company since its inception and was one of its heaviest stockholders. Other corporations in which he had considerable stock were the Milwaukee Trust company and the North American company, controlling the street car lines in St. Louis, Milwaukee, and other cities.

He was formerly vice president of the Wisconsin Telephone company and is still a stockholder of that organization. His name appears on the membership rolls of the Milwaukee chamber of commerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association, while at the same time he was connected with a number of lesser organizations.

Largely Interested in Mining.

He had immense holdings in a large number of mining companies and was engaged in a number of other outside business enterprises. He was always ready to interest himself in new enterprises and the number of investments was such that his money was scattered among a large number of companies.

He was a member of various social organizations, including the Milwaukee club, the Town club, the Country club, the Deutscher Athletic club, and others, serving as an officer or committeeman of them at different times. His family is as well known socially as any in the state, his wife appearing as a patroness for various exclusive affairs. His daughters are Mrs. Bernard Becker, Mrs. Arthur N. McGeoch, and Miss Elizabeth Bigelow. His son, Gordon Bigelow, is a prominent speculator on the Chicago and Milwaukee boards, while the younger boys, Tom, Garth, and Lester, are still in school, Tom at the Harvard law school and Garth at Phillips Exeter.

Since becoming president of the bank Mr. Bigelow has broadened the scope of his activities and his financial experience and wisdom have been made use of by a number of institutions outside of that which he headed.

In 1895 he was appointed receiver of the Northern Pacific railroad by Judge Jenkins of the United States court with a bond of $500,000, and acquitted himself of the heavy responsibilities with signal credit.

During Mayor Koch's administration he was appointed commissioner of public debt, and in that office placed the city's bonds upon the market at a highly favorable price. Both of these positions brought him into contact with financiers from out of the city.

He was born in Hartford, Washington county, New York, in 1847, but came to Milwaukee with his parents in 1861, his father being a Dr. Thomas Bigelow, one of the well known physicians of the city.

He received a public school education, but went to work as a messenger in the First National bank of Milwaukee in 1864, which had then succeeded the old Farmers and Millers' bank. His rise was notable, for from the position of messenger he rapidly worked through the intermediate places of teller and assistant cashier to cashier. He assumed the latter office in 1882, and when the consolidation of the Merchants' Exchange bank with the First National bank took place he was made president, and widened his reputation among them.

While a prominent republican, he has never sought office, but has been a strong influence in the party in a quiet way and an earnest supporter of men and measures. His advice has been sought by men of national prominence in public life, and he exerted no small influence in noted political contests in the state during recent years.

Removal Notice.

The passenger and freight offices of the Missouri Pacific railway company, St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern railway company, Texas and Pacific railway company, and International and Great Northern R. R. will be removed to 180 Clark street, in the new Fort Dearborn Annex building, May 1st.

BIGELOW'S BUSINESS MAXIMS.

New York, April 24.—[Special.]—President Bigelow, in his address to the American Bankers' association here last September at the Waldorf-Astoria, recited Robert Louis Stevenson's prayer:

"To be honest; to be kind; to earn a little, to spend a little less; to renounce when that shall be necessary; not to be embittered; to keep a few friends, but these without capitulation; above all, to keep friends with himself; here is a task for all that man has of fortitude and of delicacy."

Other extracts from President Bigelow's speech are:

"However much prejudice there may appear to be at times against bankers, our business is of the utmost usefulness and importance. The right pursuit of it, in its broader and better aspects, requires all the courage and all the conservatism we can command.

"We have greater wealth and more resources than ever before, and the way we weathered what has come lately in this unusual period of readjustment has strengthened my conviction that the panics of 1873 and 1893 hardly can be repeated in this country. This is partly because of the strong combinations in the industrial and commercial world, some of which have overstepped the mark, but which on the whole have contributed more, I think, than anything else to this favorable result."

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Chicagoans Will Get Law for Regulating the Price of Lighting.

CITY CONTROL IS OPPOSED.

Members of Legislature and Owners of Plants Are Willing to Compromise.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., April 24.—[Special.]—Municipal ownership of gas and electric light plants is now the question at issue in the gas legislation fight scheduled to begin in earnest tomorrow. Objection to giving a city the right to control gas rates is being abandoned, and the opposition is concentrating its force against the municipal ownership bill.

As the situation stands Chicago has an excellent chance to secure the authority to regulate the price of gas. Complications are already developing and the temper of the legislature is uncertain, but the gas crowd which fought both bills to a finish last week is now preparing to sacrifice one if it is necessary to stop the other. Of the two they prefer to let the bill granting the power to regulate gas prices pass if they may kill the municipal ownership measure.

Complications are arising in several directions. Chicago is not the only city which has been aroused on the subject of gas legislation since the action of the house on the gas bills last Wednesday. Peoria is scheduled to send a committee of fifty, headed by the mayor, here tomorrow, and Galesburg is playing a strong third in the chorus now going up against the gas companies.

Chicago Bills to Front.

Bills which were to be considered tomorrow relate solely to Chicago and are to be handled by a committee dealing only with Chicago matters and the charter committee. Delegations from Peoria and Galesburg and other cities which may come here demanding hearings will have no standing before this committee and can claim no right to be heard on these bills.

This will throw the question into the municipal corporations committee, which had the bills sent back to it last week by the house. It would seem to be necessary to have the subject taken up in two different forms by two different committees with two different objects—one to give Chicago the right to regulate gas rates and the other to give certain other cities of the state the same right.

Then between Chicago and the other cities now clamoring there is another difference. Chicago wants both regulating power and municipal ownership. The other cities, so far as can be ascertained, will demand merely the power to regulate prices.

Charter Committee to Meet.

The Fendarvis charter committee will meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock to give a hearing to the subcommittee appointed this morning in Chicago. It is probable that arrangements will be made to adjourn this committee meeting until this afternoon, when the question can be discussed at more length than would be possible at a short session an hour before the house convenes. The purpose of holding a morning session was to get the bill reported out and in the house at the first session tomorrow, but it is not likely that matters will be put through with such a rush.

It was at the urgent advice of men of authority in the legislature that Chicago dropped the idea of sending an army of delegates down here to appear before the committee and advocate the gas measure. Gov. Deneen while in Chicago on Saturday told friends of the measures that Chicago's aims would be accomplished more quickly and that the work would be more effectual if done by a small committee of men who would not run much to oratory.

It has been impressed on the advocates of this legislation that the best way to approach the legislature would not be with a club.

"Speak softly and leave the big stick at home," has been the advice given. If this advice be followed it is asserted that the city will find little opposition to the bill conferring the authority to regulate gas rates.

Advocates Must Be Quiet.

Municipal ownership, on the other hand, is another question. Chicago advocates have been advised not to say too much about municipal ownership but to devote their time to getting the power to regulate.

Such advice is not taken kindly by most of the Chicago advocates of the gas measure. So far as municipal ownership of the gas plants is concerned, they say, there is no pressing need of city operation but they affirm that the case is different with electric lighting plants.

They point out the fact that the city is already operating the largest street light plant in the world, and that with the drainage canal power to be developed the city must reserve the right to sell its electric product to the citizens.

By insistence on this demand one of the complications in the situation will be raised. Gas and electric light people all over the state will fight it and it drags in the question of municipal ownership which, as an abstract proposition, could start a fight in the legislature any day.

The lobby of small gas manufacturers which was instrumental last week in hauling the gas bills back from a third reading to the committee, is here again tonight, with ex-State Senator J. N. C. Shumway at their head. It is understood that these gas men will not oppose the regulating bill vigorously if they can be assured of defeating municipal ownership. It is the latter measure of which they are afraid, claiming that it would result in the confiscation of their property.

Believes Chicago Will Win.

Although only the vanguard of friends and opponents of the gas measures has reached Springfield there have been a number of conferences held. George E. Cole, president of the Legislative Voters' league, has carried the gas measures before Speaker Shurtleff and Gov. Deneen. Shurtleff has promised as fair a consideration for the bills as he did before the house last Friday.

Gov. Deneen believes Chicago can get the power to regulate rates if the citizens will advocate their cause skillfully, and informed Cole to that effect.

Representative Daily from Peoria saw Speaker Shurtleff today to ask what consideration the bill allowing other cities of the state to regulate rates would get from the legislature, and Shurtleff reiterated his statement that all measures would get just consideration.

Some trouble, in the shape of a portly gentleman from Bond, impends and should be developed by tomorrow.

Cicero J. Lindly, who may be thanked for the difficulties in which the gas measures found themselves last week, has a trick up his sleeve which he will endeavor to work to the embarrassment of Chicago. Mr. Lindly insists that any legislation which may be granted Chicago must be extended to other cities of the state. His plan had been to allow the charter committee to report out the bill dealing with the Chicago situation alone and then have the municipal corporations committee tackle the broader subject and get it out if it could. That divides the question and allows both propositions to stand on their merits. Mr. Lindly would complicate it by insisting that whatever Chicago gets shall be given to all, whether they want it or not.

Whatever bill gets on the floor of the house will be known as the "Church" bill. It has been decided that Mr. Church has been handed the tarred end of the stick, thanks to the energy of his good friends Lindly and Castle, and if the situation can be saved the bill which is passed should be given his name.

McGoorty says that Chicagoans will not be satisfied with only the bill giving the city the power to regulate, but will insist on municipal ownership.

Of the two bills now before the charter committee one, by McGoorty, grants both the power to regulate and municipal ownership. The other, by Church, grants merely the power to operate.

GET CHARTER CONVENTION

CITIZENS OF CHICAGO EMPOWERED TO ELECT DELEGATES.

Thirty Representatives Will Be Appointive, Fifteen by the Governor and Fifteen by the Mayor—The Bill to Restrict the Release of Prisoners on Habeas Corpus Is Defeated—The Haas Measure for the West Park Board Will Pass Today.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., April 24.—[Special.]—The bill empowering Chicago to hold a charter convention, electing delegates from the senatorial districts, went to a third reading in the house tonight and is ready for passage. It was called up by Representative McGoorty and the charter committee amendment providing for thirty delegates at large was adopted. Fifteen of these delegates are to be appointed by the governor and fifteen by the mayor, all to be citizens of Chicago.

This bill sends the charter proposition back to Chicago for another two years' discussion, to be brought before the next legislature. It and the municipal courts bill passed on Friday will represent the charter legislation to be secured from this legislature.

The convention as provided for by the bill will consist of ninety-five elected delegates and thirty appointed, country towns in Cook county being represented as well as the city.

Kill Healy's Bill.

Although the house did not have enough members present to pass bills, it proceeded to kill the senate bill in which State's Attorney Healy is vitally interested. This measure, giving the state the right to appeal habeas corpus cases, being drafted in the hope of stopping releases from the penitentiary by orders from the Cook county bench. It was introduced in the senate by Senator Mueller and passed. When it reached the second reading in the house tonight the enacting clause was stricken out on motion of Browne of La Salle. He asserted it was an absolute subversion of the criminal law.

Nagel's bill requiring the county commissioners of Cook county to make an appropriation for the publication of the real and personal property tax lists was advanced without amendment to a third reading. The commissioners have been allowed to publish, but have not been required to do it, and never have done so.

The house disposed of adjournment talk temporarily by ordering the senate joint resolution for the amendment of July 28 to lie on the table. Speaker Shurtleff brought the resolution to the attention of representatives and on motion of Representative Dailey it was tabled.

To Help Library Board.

In the senate Senator Galpin introduced a bill to allow the Chicago library board to spend $500,000 of the $800,000 fund in reserve for the purchase of sites and the erection of branch library buildings. It was advanced to a second reading without reference.

The Haas bill for the west park board, conforming to a recent Supreme court decision, was advanced and is expected to pass the senate tomorrow.

WILL RUN CAR LINES FOR CLEVELAND; TITLE IN OWNERS

Company to Operate Roads for Twenty-five Years and Pay Present Holders Dividend—Other Profits Go to City.

Cleveland, O., April 24.—[Special.]—Mayor Johnson, in conference with President Andrews of the Cleveland Electric railway company, today proposed municipal ownership in another guise, and Andrews declared his willingness to surrender the property of the company, which now enjoys exclusive transportation rights within this city, provided he was assured he would be fairly dealt with. The conference was a result of a number of days of sensational disclosures relative to the alleged attitude of the mayor toward the street railway company on account of the nearness of the time when a number of valuable franchises held would expire. These charges were denied by the mayor.

The mayor proposed that the present street railway company lease its entire property to a holding company madeup of six or seven prominent men of unimpeachable reputation and chosen by the people. This holding company would then proceed to operate the street railways of Cleveland, each of the members of this company receiving a fixed salary. The stock of Cleveland Electric railway company, which is now $22,000,000, should be appraised and guaranteed for a fixed dividend for the period of twenty-five years.

The mayor further suggested that the franchises of the company should be renewed for that length of time in the name of the present company, the holding company retaining its control of the property by virtue of its lease. All the money earned above the operating expenses and the payment of the dividends on the stock should be used in the reduction of fares. The mayor further stated that this holding company as described should be recognized by the state legislature as a municipal corporation. The proposition will be submitted to the council.

AUTOISTS WIN WAGER ON RUN FROM NEW YORK TO CHICAGO.

Distance Covered and One Man Gets Back on Train Within Thirteen Days.

Dr. J. F. Valentine, E. C. Largey, and J. W. Catron of New York, who made a wager in that city that they could run an automobile to Chicago and that one of their number could return to New York in thirteen days, won the wager. They arrived in Chicago Saturday night at 7:40 o'clock and seven hours later Dr. Valentine boarded a train for New York, which put him in that city six hours before his time was up.

The trio of automobilists were in New York dining with friends. Mr. Catron had just bought an automobile and his selection was criticised. This led to a discussion of its merits. Finally one of the party said:

"You could not run that machine to Chicago in thirteen days."

Mr. Catron in reply wagered that he could reach Chicago and have one of the party back in New York within thirteen days. The loser was to pay the cost of the trip and buy a suit of clothes for each of the three automobilists. The start was made at 7 a. m., April 11.

"We struck the hardest roads imaginable," said Mr. Catron last night, "but we were not in the least discouraged. We kept on. When the machine pulled into Chicago it still had the New York air in its tires. From the closest figuring we can do we traveled 1,066 miles."

COURT CHECKS A CONSTABLE.

Injunction Secured by Physician, Who Says Officer Shot at Him Three Times.

Judge Brentano yesterday issued an injunction restraining Constable Schwartz from attempting to levy on any furniture at the residence of Dr. Randolph Brunson, 1802 Surf street. By the same order James T. White & Co. are enjoined from collecting or indorsing a check for $161.11 which Dr. Brunson declares he gave the firm under duress.

Constable Schwartz called last Friday at the home of John S. Brewer, Dr. Brunson's father-in-law, with whom the physician is residing. Showing an execution for $161.11, the constable demanded property belonging to Dr. Brunson. He was informed that all the property in the house belonged to Mr. Brewer. Then, Dr. Brunson says, the constable replied he would "take chances," and would levy on it.

When Brewer and his wife attempted to restrain Schwartz from taking it from the house, the petition alleges, Schwartz fired three shots at Dr. Brunson, and later had the doctor arrested and taken to the Shemeld avenue police station, where his father-in-law was prevailed upon to make out a check for the amount of the execution.

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PLAN CAMPAIGN FOR LEGISLATION.

Two Committees Arrange to Urge the Legislature to Pass Gas Bill.

ALMOST HAVE A CLASH.

Agreed That Aldermen Shall Go First and Volunteers Later, if It Is Necessary.

The plan of campaign to secure remedial gas legislation for Chicago began to take shape last night, but only after a day of difficulties, which included a dispute over the relations of the two committees delegated to lead the fight.

The mayor's volunteer committee of fifty citizens met in the morning and appointed a steering committee of twelve members, including the mayor, and instructed them to go to Springfield if necessary. The council committee on state legislation met in the afternoon and indulged in a "scrap" over the question of whether it was being insulted or assisted by the "butting in" of the volunteer committee.

In the end difficulties were smoothed over and the council committee was given the field. Chairman Badenoch and Corporation Counsel Tolman left for Springfield last night, accompanied by Ald. Wendling, Dixon and Bellhaus, and by Harry Barrett Chamberlain, secretary of both the council and volunteer committees. These officials will do some scouting today and summon their fellow-aldermen on the council committee when the propitious moment comes for an assault on the legislature.

Volunteers in Background.

The steering committee of the volunteer organization will remain in the background for the moment. The subcommittee will meet in the city hall at 11:30 o'clock this morning, at which time it is expected that Secretary Chamberlain will have wired the results of the scouting. From the best information obtainable last night is appeared likely that some kind of a gas bill would be reported out of committee today and go before the house for amendment tomorrow. If it then appears that the advance guard of Chicagoans needs reinforcement the volunteer committee may go. But the volunteers will not go until it seems they are actually needed.

The council committee on state legislation had not proceeded far in a hazy discussion of the need of gas regulation when Ald. Foreman demanded a showing of the stand which the committee was to take.

"For one I would like to know just where this committee stands," he exclaimed, banging the table under Chairman Badenoch's nose. "Are we to understand that the committee of fifty is going to Springfield to push the McGoorty bill or the Church bill, or both? And are we going to Springfield to push our own bill, which has been approved by the council and incorporated in the charter measure, or are we to back down and support some other measure? If these delegations go down there divided like this how will the gentlemanly legislators be able to determine just what Chicago wants? That's the way it has always been—Chicago divided against itself—and that's why we get nothing."

Tries to Appease Foreman.

"It is not quite so serious as that," interposed Mr. Chamberlain, who as secretary of both committees was doing some rare balancing.

"The committee of fifty is not going down to Springfield right away. It is going to wait and see what develops, and will get behind any legislation this committee supports."

But Ald. Foreman refused to be appeased.

"What I want to know," he returned with ardor, "is whether this committee of fifty has taken the place of the council and its committee on state legislation. Is this volunteer committee espousing bills which have been before the legislature and which are known to be opposed to the council committee's bill now before the charter committee of the house? Was this committee invited to attend the meeting of the committee this morning? I know I wasn't invited."

"Nor I," spoke up Ald. Considine.

"Nor I," said Ald. Eidmann, and so it went around the committee table till Chairman Badenoch admitted:

"I was invited as chairman of the council committee. The fact is that the formation of the committee of fifty is in the way of a popular demonstration and is in no way antagonistic to the council committee. The mayor appointed it as a committee to help along any remedial legislation which we are all agreed to support. It is like the popular demonstration which got the Mueller law."

"Let's Get Busy," Says Kohout.

At this juncture Ald. Kohout, a new alderman, got the floor:

"The people of Chicago want gas legislation. It's a crying need. Now let's not be punctilious about it. We're the authorized representatives of the people. Let's get busy and go to Springfield and get the legislation which will reduce the price of gas."

On motion of Ald. Foreman the committee decided to go to Springfield and push the charter bill for gas legislation which was framed by the council committee. Ald. Badenoch and Mr. Chamberlain called individually on the mayor at once with the result that harmony between both committees is assured.

It appears that the council committee may find it necessary to support another bill than its own. The charter bill covers the ground but if passed now it would have to be submitted to the people and, like the municipal courts bill, could not go into effect for two years. Either the Church or the McGoorty bill might go into effect on July 1, and is therefore to be viewed in the light of emergency legislation. If an emergency bill providing the essentials of the charter bill can be reported out of committee an attempt will be made to line up the council committee among its supporters.

Committee of Fifty Meets.

The committee of fifty was called to order by Mayor Dunne at 10 o'clock in the council chamber, and thereafter for three hours debated the kind of gas legislation which should be asked of the legislature. Graeme Stewart was elected chairman, and in turn appointed a steering committee, as follows:

Graeme Stewart.	John M. Harlan.
Mayor Dunne.	Ald. Dever.
H. B. Chamberlain.	Clarence S. Darrow.
Walter L. Fisher.	David Rosenheim.
A. H. Revell.	Wyllys W. Baird.
B. A. Eckhart.	James Pease.

Corporation Counsel Tolman was present to hand out legal advice and Representatives Burke and McGoorty made speeches on the prospects of getting a gas bill through. The discussion soon divided the committee into two factions—one in favor of striking for the gas and electric lighting legislation alone and the other favoring the inclusion of the revenue measures. The latter faction finally prevailed, the steering committee being instructed to work for these following four results:

First—The regulation of the price of gas or electric light by statute or by conferring the authority on the city.

Second—The right to construct a municipal plant for the manufacture of gas and electricity.

Third—The right to sell gas and electricity for lighting and heating purposes.

Fourth—To urge the passage of the consolidation and revenue bills now pending before the house.

The Merchants' club also bestirred itself during the day in behalf of the pending amendatory legislation providing for the revision of real estate assessments each year by the board of review instead of once in four years as the present statute directs. The executive committee met at noon and dispatched telegrams to Senators Campbell and Galpin, Lieut. Gov. Sherman, Representatives Arnold, chairman of the house revenue committee, and Chester Church, chairman of the house steering committee. The measure known as house bill 427 is now before the house revenue committee. The telegrams stated the urgency of the amendments which are backed by real estate men and property owners at large, the argument being that more equitable assessment of realty will be secured.

CALL OFF STRIKE OF THE DRIVERS.

(Continued from first page.)

wise voiced their sentiments strongly in opposition to this proposed action.

Following their protest the garment workers on the strike "committee," Sidney J. Stern, Thomas Horan, John Lind, Robert Noren, and Anna Sorenson resigned. The teamsters' representatives promptly held a council and decided to call off their strike.

Garment Workers to Continue.

The conference board of the garment workers' unions was summoned at 11 o'clock after the meeting of the strike committee. It was decided unanimously to continue the strike against the clothing houses the same as before the teamsters joined the fight. There were rumors during the day that the National Wholesale Tailors' association was ready to make some concessions to the garment workers providing the teamsters retired from the battle.

"For the garment workers I will say that their fight will go on as before," said Sidney J. Stern, secretary of the joint conference board. "The withdrawal of the teamsters will not weaken our chances."

Employers Discuss Situation.

Employers last night, with one exception, were not inclined to announce offhand the attitude which they will take in regard to the reinstatement of the striking teamsters or those who were discharged. One employer, George C. Taylor, general agent for the American Express company, said:

"We will not take the strikers back. The attitude of our company is the same as it always has been in this respect. The teamsters in our employ who left us during the strike are gone for good."

"Montgomery Ward & Co. will not act independently in this matter," said Robert J. Thorne, manager of the company, when apprised of the teamsters' proposal. "It is up to the Employers' association as a whole to decide whether the teamsters shall be taken back again."

Left to the Association.

John G. Shedd of Marshall Field & Co., who has been active in the organization of the employers in their presentation of the "unbroken front," refused to commit himself to a definite policy, except that of awaiting developments.

"As far as my firm is concerned," he said, when informed of the outcome of the strike, "we have no men who struck. We have discharged no men for that reason. I do not know any firm that has discharged men for striking except Montgomery Ward & Co.

"As to whether the request of the teamsters that the men be taken back will be granted, I am unprepared to say. They were wise in calling off this strike at this time, and should have done it earlier. They never had any real cause for striking. The thing that must be taught them is the sacredness of contracts. Whether the association, after deliberation, will decide that they have been punished enough, and that the chances in the future are good for the inviolability of contracts, I do not know now."

John T. Pirie Jr. of Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., another of the employers' committee, gave substantially the same reply to the question of the attitude of the employers.

"It must be considered in the light of what occurs this morning. They may get some new conditions by morning. The association organized to fight this thing to the end probably will have the decision. The firm affected has put the matter in its hands."

Early Threats to Spread Strike.

Before the collapse of the teamsters' strike had become a fact leading employers were conferring in the afternoon with a union committee which threatened to spread the strike to the houses of Marshall Field & Co. and Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.

The meeting was held in Levy Mayer's office. Representing the employers were John G. Shedd, Robert J. Thorne, James Simpson, J. T. Pirie Jr., Jacob L. Kesner, John V. Farwell Jr., and F. H. Armstrong. For the union were W. J. Gibbons, Peter Rietz, T. J. Ryan, Del Stevens, Emmet Flood, and D. H. Cross.

The employers gave the drivers to understand that no demands could induce them to change their policy in delivering goods to Montgomery Ward & Co. On receiving this information the union committee retired to report to the teamsters' joint council.

The Employers' Teaming company, in anticipation of a long struggle, had prepared to broaden its scope and increase its resources today. A special meeting of all teaming employers was to be held at the Auditorium hotel at noon. It is said that the original plans of the venture still may be carried out despite the ending of the teamsters' strike. The only equipment purchased during the day was seventeen wagons and twenty-seven horses, bought from Fred O. Westphal, the teaming contractor.

Grand Jury Holds Aloof from Strike.

The grand jury finally decided the strike was not properly a matter for its consideration. No formal statement was made to this effect, although Assistant State's Attorney Going let it be known that no indictments would be returned by the inquisitors either for conspiracy or "graft" in connection with the labor trouble, and that it was almost equally improbable that assault indictments would be voted.

Such a decision on the part of the jury was admitted to be a disappointment to the Employers' association, which, through several of its officials, including its secretary, Fred W. Job, had made a particularly strong attempt to secure indictments for conspiracy against several of the labor leaders.

ENGLISH RAILWAY MEN HERE.

Delegation of London and Northwestern Officials Who Will Attend Convention at Washington.

Carrying their umbrellas in their hands and wearing checked suits under their rain coats, a delegation of English railroad men who will attend the international railway congress in Washington next month, arrived at the Auditorium Annex last night. They came from Boston in a private car over the Michigan Central.

The party includes the following officials of the London and Northwestern railway:

The Hon. Charles Napier Lawrence, deputy chairman.

The Hon. Arthur Henry Holland-Hibbert, director.

Robert Turnbull, superintendent.

C. E. Grasemann, outdoor goods manager.

G. Whale, chief mechanical engineer.

W. Dawson, permanent way department.

A. G. Wand, general agent in America.

UPHOLDS THE "99 YEAR" ACT IN "TRANSFER" INJUNCTION.

Judge Grosscup Forbids the City to Enforce Ordinance on Two of the City Railway Lines.

In handing down his decree yesterday in the transfer injunction suit of the Chicago City railway against the city, Judge Grosscup made it plain that he considers the "ninety-nine year act" valid as to the State street line from Lake to Twenty-second street, and the Clark street line from Washington to Twenty-second street.

This was seized upon as an important new involution of traction mazes, at least by the street car men themselves. The traction interests assert that the "ninety-nine year" claims are strengthened even if the City railway's position in the matter is not thrown into the federal court, out of which the city is striving to keep it. On the other hand, Corporation Counsel Tolman holds that the municipality's case against the south side company in the state court is not affected.

Judge Grosscup enjoins the city from enforcing the transfer ordinance. He says the acts of 1859, 1861, and 1865 all are in force and the City railway is operating the lines legally under these and the ordinances of the city based on them. The railway therefore has the contract right to collect a cash fare of 5 cents for each passenger, and is under no obligation to carry any one by reason of having paid a cash fare on a Union Traction line and received for it a transfer to the south side. Likewise the south side company is by contract under no obligation to issue transfers on the lines to the Union Traction lines in question.

The court later in the day granted the Union Traction receivers leave to amend the north Chicago ancillary bill in the "ninety-nine year act" case.

"I think, under the circumstances," said the court, "the Chicago City railway company is a proper and perhaps a necessary party to the decree to be entered, so far as it relates to the lines from the river to the stated points."

SCOTS WILL HONOR DALRYMPLE

Representatives of Their Societies Decide to Give Glasgow Traction Man a Banquet.

When J. L. Dalrymple, traction superintendent of Glasgow, comes to Chicago next month he will receive a welcome from the Scotchmen here. Such was the decision yesterday of fifty representatives of the Scotch societies, who met in the Great Northern hotel. J. J. Badenoch presided.

The banquet will be held in the Auditorium if a convenient date can be arranged. It will come toward the close of Mr. Dalrymple's stay in Chicago as a climax to the numerous civic and aldermanic banquets that will be given. James B. Forgan probably will be selected for toastmaster.

Before the motion to authorize such a banquet could be put John Milloy obtained the floor. "I know," he said, "that everything a Scotchman does is right. But there is such a thing as swelling the head of a Scotchman. Isn't it enough honor for a man to be brought 3,000 miles to crack a nut for a people that ordinarily have twice as much business capacity as they have in the place he comes from? After this wining and dining him is too much."

No one seemed to agree with Mr. Milloy. Mr. Badenoch and Secretary-Treasurer John A. Aitken will appoint a committee on arrangements immediately.

SAYS POLICEMAN TOOK BRIBE.

Alleged Victim Declares Men for Whose Conviction He Paid Were Released.

Serious charges are made against Patrolman Jeremiah Cronin of the South Chicago station in an affidavit filed with the civil service commission by Walter Osmanski of 156 West Division street.

Osmanski asserts that he was attacked in Eighty-third street on the night of March 12 by two men. A fight ensued in which several shots were fired. As Patrolman Cronin approached the assailants fled and Osmanski was arrested. He alleges that the policeman said he would release him if he would give him $5. Osmanski refused and was fined in court.

Afterwards his two assailants were arrested, and he alleges that Cronin promised him he would see that the men were convicted if Osmanski would give him $5. Osmanski says he gave $2 to the policeman, and promised to pay the additional $3 later. At the trial the two prisoners were released.

"Scholle's Good Furniture."

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The Bedroom Furniture section on the third floor has become so congested that we have decided on a general weeding out up there—A Room Making Sale. The first victims selected are a lot of Brass Beds and Iron Beds with brass trimmings, all of them new goods. The Brass Beds are finished in bright brass as well as the dull Etruscan colors. The Iron Beds are finished in all the various new colors known to the trade.

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$45.00 Brass Beds for	$35.00	$48.00 Brass Beds for	$37.00	$50.00 Brass Beds for	$40.00
$58.00 Brass Beds for	$42.00	$54.00 Brass Beds for	$43.00	$55.00 Brass Beds for	$44.00
$57.00 Brass Beds for	$45.00	$58.00 Brass Beds for	$46.00	$63.00 Brass Beds for	$50.00

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$18.00 Iron Beds for	$14.00	$20.00 Iron Beds for	$15.00	$21.00 Iron Beds for	$16.00
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RUSSIAN FLEET COALS AT HAINAN

Rojestvensky's Vessels Reach French Island, 600 Miles North of Kamranh.

WILL HE ELUDE TOGO?

Japanese Spies Said to Be Watching in Every Port of the China Sea.

BULLETIN.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

HONGKONG, April 25, 10 a. m.—The British warships Glory, Centurion, Ocean, Hogue, and Bonaventure have left for an unknown destination. The Chinese confirm the news that Russian cruisers and colliers are at the island of Hainan.

BULLETIN.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MANILA, April 25, 10 a. m.—It is believed the warships sighted off Corregidor island form part of the Baltic fleet.

RUSSIANS AT HAINAN.

[From the Tokio Correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph.]

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

TOKIO, April 25, 10 a. m.—The governor of the island of Hainan has telegraphed to Pekking that the Baltic fleet is coaling off that island. Hainan is about 600 miles north of Kamranh bay, and belongs to France.

It is prbable that owing to China's feebleness, the neutrality question will be raised again. Chinese attention seems to be concentrated upon persuading the interned Russian warships to remain at Shanghai. Japan is vigorously protesting against the preparations being made by the cruiser Askold for flight.

A Russian hospital ship arrived at Batavia on Sunday. It is believed it is attached to Rear Admiral Nebogatoff's squadron. It seems the Russians are using their hospital vessels for scouting purposes.

It is stated that Nebogatoff's squadron will join the main Russian fleet about April 28.

CANNOT ELUDE TOGO.

[From the Hongkong Correspondent of the London Express.]

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

HONGKONG, April 24.—It is most unlikely the Russian fleet will be able to get through the cordon established by Admiral Togo. There have been no attacks by scout vessels.

Togo hitherto has received most of his information concerning Rojestvensky's movements from spies ashore. These are stationed in every port on the China sea. They send every item of intelligence to Tokio, whence it is sent to Togo.

The Japanese knew the Russians were leaving Kamranh bay hours before the French government knew it.

Togo also has fast scouting vessels covering a wide area of the China sea. It is believed he is nearly in touch with the Russians. It is understood he will make the fullest use of his torpedo boats, in which he is enormously longer than Rojestvensky.

It is expected Togo will attempt first to sink the Russian transports and possibly war warships by night attacks.

A general action is more likely to be challenged by the Russians when in a tight corner than by the Japanese.

JAPS GUARD THE STRAITS.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

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[BY FRANCIS M'CULLAGH.]

SHANGHAI, April 24.—The northern waters of the sea of Japan, Tsuguru straits, and La Perouse straits are illuminated every night by searchlights of Japanese torpedo boats, whose object is to prevent the passage of the ships of the Vladivostok squadron. Blockade running to Vladivostok has ceased, owing to the vigilance of the Japanese.

The only foreign visitors in Nagasaki are the captains of the captured ships attending the prize court at Sasebo.

The Japanese fleet now is probably to the south of Formosa awaiting Rojestvensky. Thick weather prevails, and it is thought the Baltic fleet may slip northwards, far to the east of Formosa.

Japanese spies are showing extraordinary vigilance along the entire Chinese coast.

RUSSIANS WENT NORTH.

KAMRANH BAY, Indo-China, via Saigon, April 24, 11:30 a. m.—The main portion of the Russian squadron, consisting of fifty-two ships, including transports, which left Kamranh bay at noon on April 22, soon disappeared in a northerly direction. Sixteen vessels—the Russian cruiser Svietlana, the Russian hospital ship Orel, four German transports, seven Danish transports, and three Russian transports—remained in the offing.

Fishermen and others insist that they heard heavy cannonading off Kamranh bay during the evening of April 22.

It is believed here that it is Admiral Rojestvensky's intention to do everything possible to have Admiral Nebogatoff join him before undertaking a decisive battle. A torpedo boat destroyer is patroling the coast.

Although the Russian crews were confident of victory, independent observers who got near enough to Admiral Rojestvensky's warships to be able to inspect them, were not unanimous regarding the efficiency of the squadron.

GUESSING AT ST. PETERSBURG.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 25, 2:45 a. m.—The admiralty professes to have no information as to whether Vice Admiral Rojestvensky is waiting for Nebogatoff's reinforcing detachment, and say the matter is entirely in his hands, and he has not communicated his determination. Naval men, however, are not inclined, as hitherto, to anticipate a junction of Nebogatoff with Rojestvensky. They suggest that the transport fleet may be left to the care of the slow but powerful ships of Nebogatoff's detachment while Rojestvensky tries conclusions with Togo.

The admiralty is disposed to accept with reservation all foreign telegrams announcing the whereabouts of Vice Admiral Kamimura and the Japanese ships, believing that many of them are purposely sent out for strategical deception.

The report that the crew of the Russian cruiser Diana interned at Saigon after the battle of Aug. 10, but recently undergoing repairs at Haifong, Tonquin, had joined Admiral Rojestvensky at Kamranh bay previous to the sailing of the Russian squadron April 22, is denied here.

The news from Manchuria indicates that Oyama's plans await the result of the naval battle. Should Rojestvensky reach Vladivostok and Admiral Togo still be able to protect the Japanese lines of communications, the general belief at the war office is that the Japanese will forthwith attempt to cut off and invest Vladivostok and make of the place another Port Arthur.

ANXIETY AT TOKIO.

TOKIO, April 24.—Information is keenly awaited regarding the movements of Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron. It is generally believed that the Russian warships will either continue north from Kamranh bay until they reach Chinese waters outside the territorial limit or enter the Pacific ocean.

Celebrate at Ravenswood Woman's Club.

[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE.]

The Ravenswood Woman's club celebrated its crystal anniversary yesterday with a program made up of tableaux, songs, and recitations, in which little children and grown-ups took part. Little Stella Ingrahm and Master John Davis appeared in a tableau entitled "The Days of Gainsborough," and made such a big hit that they were recalled many times. Miss Perle Frank sang "The Chinese Sojee Man" dressed in appropriate costume, and Miss Adelaide Hand presented an arrangement from Mme. Butterfly, accompanied on the mandolin by Miss Hazel Shelp. A musical program was given by Miss Hattie Field, Sidney Barnes, and Miss Theo Cleveland. Miss Paula Krieschell appeared in recitations.

GROWING PANIC IN POLAND

ANARCHY SPREADING TO EVERY PART OF THE KINGDOM.

Terror of a Socialist Uprising Expressed on Every Hand—Russians Expect a General Massacre of Officials and the Blowing Up of the Vistula Bridge During the Easter Holidays—Police Do Nothing—Press Urges Repression.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 24.—The news from Poland paints a picture of veritable terror before the expected storm. A letter received here reads:

"You know what happened at Warsaw, but you only know part of what is occurring throughout the country. All Poland is in a great conflagration of socialism, terror of which is everywhere exciting a terrible panic. We expect at Easter a general massacre of the Russian government officials and the wealthy, and the blowing up of the Vistula bridge to prevent the arrival of troops from Russia.

"The police are doing nothing. They pretend to be blind and deaf to what is passing around them. The existing régime is the cause of discontent, which is on the increase among the idle workmen driven from the factories and railroads because they are Poles. They say they will have vengeance."

A letter from Vilna says:

"Work is impossible under the existing conditions. The government's endless commissions have accomplished nothing, and the landlords, workmen, and peasants are convinced that open revolt and the bayonet are the only remedies. Easter may witness the inauguration of another insurrection like that of 1863, which began with a Russian massacre."

Commenting on the above the Russ declares the government must act promptly if awful carnage is to be avoided. The only thing to be done, it says, is to summon the moderates to give guarantees that the promised reforms will be realized.

Peasants Must Pay the Costs.

With the object of stopping the destruction of private property which has been going on in the rural districts under the influence of the leaders of the peasant movement an imperial decree was issued today authorizing the minister of the interior, M. Bouligin, to appoint commissions in the disturbed districts to trace the culprits, assess the losses, and collect the amount of damage done from the members of the village communities implicated whose whole real and personal property is liable to be sold at auction.

Kisheneff Fears a Massacre.

KISHENEFF, Russia, April 24.—The fears of anti-Semitic rioting during the Easter holidays are spreading among the Jews. Archbishop Vladimir preached a sermon yesterday admonishing the Christians to refrain from violence and manifestations of race hatred during the festival of peace.

Revolution in North Caucasia.

VLADIKAVKAZ, North Caucasia, April 24.—The spring festival today was turned into a revolutionary demonstration. Cossacks and police dispersed the crowds, using the flats of their swords. Many persons were injured, including some women and children, but no one is reported to have been killed.

THREE ON BATTLESHIP MAINE ARE INJURED BY "FLAREBACK"

Turret Gun Contains Burning Particles, Which Ignite New Charge Prematurely and Cause Explosion.

Pensacola, Fla., April 24.—[Special.]—It became known today, when the battleship Maine arrived here to coal, that a "flareback" in one of the big guns had injured three men while the ship was at its recent target practice.

This sort of explosion, dreaded by all gunners, usually is caused by some particles of burning powder or covering that has not been "swabbed out" after the discharge. When another charge is placed in the gun, it ignites while the breach still is open, and its force usually is backward in the face of the gunners loading the piece.

This is the second accident of this sort since the ships have been on target practice. The men were not dangerously injured.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Pink Eye Is Epidemic.
MURINE EYE REMEDY Cures It.

TRIES TO PROVE A PLOT.

DEFENSE IN ARSON CASE ALLEGES CONSPIRACY EXISTED.

Attempts to Show Baldwin, Gaidzik, and Hunt Made Efforts to Get Control of the Hegewisch Car Plant Before Fire Ex-Banker Is Accused of Starting—Witness Tells of Conference When Inventory Was Increased on Account of Insurance.

Efforts by counsel for Ex-Banker Isaac M. Perry to show by means of one of the state's witnesses that a conspiracy existed between L. H. Baldwin, president; E. Gaidzik, secretary; and W. C. Hunt, superintendent of the Chicago Car and Locomotive works, to get the plant from Perry before the fire proved unavailing yesterday. Gaidzik, who occupied the stand during several hours in the arson trial, was subjected to a severe cross-examination by Attorney Rosenthal, but his testimony could not be shaken.

The defense again interposed the "motive" objections when Assistant State's Attorney Lindley questioned Gaidzik regarding Perry's attitude in the matter of insurance. When the court had ruled against the defense the witness said Perry attended a conference, at which Pease and Baldwin were present, where it was announced that $100,000 was the total of insurance that would be carried. The defendant, the witness declared, insisted the amount was too small, and at his instigation the inventory was raised $190,000 so that an additional $100,000 insurance might be placed. Gaidzik added that Perry had persisted in taking all the earnings as dividends, and had refused to use the money to enlarge the business or increase the equipment.

Tries to Shake Hunt's Testimony.

The cross examination of Ald. Hunt, who was on the stand on Saturday, was concluded in the morning, but he was recalled by the defense late in the afternoon to answer to some apparently unimportant questions. What appeared to be a veiled attempt at impeachment was made when the witness was asked to testify regarding a conversation with Perry over the telephone on Oct. 8, the day before the fire. By Hunt's testimony it was shown that he was not around the plant on the following day.

"Is it not a fact that it was you who called Mr. Perry instead of Mr. Perry calling you?" asked Attorney Forrest.

"No, Mr. Perry called me," said Hunt.

Mr. Forrest persisted in his question, but the prosecution objected and the court sustained the objection.

Other Witnesses Called by State.

Two other witnesses were called by the state in the afternoon, William H. Gilke, discount clerk at the Continental National bank, and Luther H. Baldwin, former president of the Chicago Car and Locomotive works. The testimony of both was rendered unnecessary by Attorney Rosenthal conceding the points on which the state expected to ask questions.

It is said the state will call in several railroad men today in order to strengthen the testimony of the others who have said the fire was a matter of general knowledge to passengers and others who passed through Hegewisch at the time of the blaze. More than a dozen other witnesses will be put on by the state before the prosecution rests, and this will occupy the greater part of the week.

NO MORE SLICING IN CHINA.

Wu Ting Fang Secures Radical Changes in the Criminal Code—Decapitation to Be Abolished.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

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PEKING, April 24.—In response to the memorial of Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese minister to the United States, an imperial edict, issued today, abolishes punishment by "slicing to death," and substitutes immediate decapitation. Exposure of the heads of the bodies of people after execution is abolished.

Immediate strangulation is to be substituted for decapitations. A reprieve until after the autumn assizes will be substituted for immediate strangulation, and three reprieves will annul the death penalty. Branding also has been abolished.

Wu Ting Fang has been ordered to memorialize the throne for other beneficial changes. His success in reforming the Chinese criminal code is the most important move China has made in the line of legitimate progress.

Low Round Trip Rates to California.

$62.50, Chicago to California and return, May 1, 2, 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13; return limit ninety days. The Overland Limited leaves Union Station, Chicago, 6:05 p. m. daily. The California Express at 10:25 p. m. carries tourist sleeping cars; berth rate, $7. Personally conducted tourist car excursions to California leave Union Station, Chicago, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:25 p. m., via the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway. Tickets, 95 Adams street.

ISTHMIAN BOARD SPLITS ALREADY.

Four Members Insist on Making Plans for Panama Canal Without Delay.

OTHERS PREFER TO WAIT.

Difference Due to Opposing View of Secretary Taft's Letter of Instructions.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—[Special.]—The isthmian canal commission, appointed on April 3 by President Roosevelt, has had its first difference of sufficient importance to warrant its presentation to the secretary of war. Four members of the commission submitted to Secretary Taft today a dignified protest against serving in positions which made them appear not the equals of the members of the executive committee but as subordinate to Chief Engineer Wallace.

Secretary Taft has called upon the members of the executive committee for their views, and it is understood they have agreed to change the status of the protesting commissioners so they will officially and otherwise occupy the same plane as Mr. Wallace.

This is the explanation made tonight of the visit which Messrs. Harrod, Hains, Endicott, and Ernst, the protesting commissioners, paid to Secretary Taft today. There is another reason, it is reported, but which apparently has not been laid before Secretary Taft—that the men named desired go ahead and formulate plans for the construction of the canal, but were opposed by the executive committee composed of the chairman and two members.

When President Roosevelt disbanded the old commission and appointed its present personnel the main idea underlying his action was to minimize friction, and thus to have complete harmony in the construction of the canal. The men were selected not only for their ability but for their personal qualities as well. What was wanted was a body of men who should be able to settle things for themselves and not bother the president or secretary of war about the mere execution details.

Four for Immediate Action.

One explanation of what happened is this: Four members whose duties were not specifically defined in the orders issued by the president and secretary of war, have earnestly recommended, in fact, insisted, that the commission shall proceed with the preparation of plans to be adopted for the construction of the canal; that these plans shall be completed by Sept. 1; and that they then be submitted to the nine consulting engineers, now being designated for consideration and action.

The men in favor of this policy are: Benjamin M. Harrod, civil engineer; Brig. Gen. Peter C. Hains, U. S. A., retired; Rear Admiral M. T. Endicott, U. S. N.; and Col. Oswald M. Ernst, corps engineers, U. S. A.

The executive committee was opposed to such procedure. This committee comprises Theodore P. Shonts, chairman commission; Charles E. Magoon, governor of the canal zone; and John F. Wallace, chief engineer. These men wanted to know what the president's object was in appointing the board of consulting engineers if the commission was to prepare the plans.

Secretary Taft's Views.

They pointed out Secretary Taft in his letter had made the following statement to the president:

"It is probable within the next few months the data (in connection with the engineering questions) will have been so fully ascertained by the chief engineer, Mr. Wallace, and his assistants, that they may be submitted to a board of engineers of the highest standing for recommendation as to the best plan upon which to proceed with the work.

"I suggest, therefore, that the first work to be done is the appointment of an advisory board of engineers—say, seven or nine in number—to be selected from engineers having special knowledge of hydraulic engineering and canal construction, and to whom shall be submitted all possible information with respect to the prospective Panama canal, both that obtained by the French engineers before our purchase of the canal and the data obtained by the chief engineer of the present canal commission, together with all projects suggested for the solution of the problem which the canal commission deem reasonably possible or practicable; that this advisory board be invited to Washington for the purpose of agreeing upon its recommendations in the premises, and, if possible, such recommendations to be made before the regular meeting of congress next December; that the recommendations be submitted to the canal commission as then constituted for its approval or modification, and, with the recommendations of the canal commission, be submitted to the president for his action and transmission to congress.

Need Not Delay Work.

"As already suggested, the work of securing the best plan and its approval by congress need not delay in any way the preliminary work adapted to any possible plan, or the highly critical work of sanitation, the extreme importance of which you have already emphasized in your previous instructions to the canal commission."

This feature of the secretary's instruction is so explicit, in the view of the executive committee, that there ought to be no doubt as to the course to be pursued in connection with the preparation of the plan to be followed in the construction of the canal. The instruction states, according to the interpretation of Messrs. Shonts, Magoon, and Wallace, that all data should be turned over to the consulting engineers, and that the consulting engineers submit their recommendations to the commission for approval or modification, and that the commission on its part submit the recommendations of the board, with the comments, to the president for action and transmission to congress.

Views of the Dissenters.

But the remaining four members of the commission believed that such a course is not justified by the instructions, and that it will only lead to delay in determining the vital point as to the character of a canal to be built. It has been pointed out that the name of the advisory board—"consulting engineers"—shows that the commission is to consult with them only, and they back up this contention by quoting the following paragraph from the instructions of the secretary of war:

"There will hereafter be appointed by the president nine civil engineers of the highest standing, having experience in works of canal construction and hydraulics, to constitute a board of consulting engineers, to which will be submitted by the isthmian canal commission for its consideration and advice important engineering questions arising in the selection of the best plan for the construction of the canal. The recommendation of the board of consulting engineers shall be considered by the isthmian canal commission, and, with the recommendations of the commission, shall finally be submitted, through the secretary of war, to the president for his decision."

Anxious to Go Ahead.

The majority of the commission interpret the foregoing in this way: That the commission should prepare all data for the guidance of the consulting engineers; and that with this data should be submitted two plans—one for a lock canal, which was the character of the waterway contemplated by congress in the act authorizing construction, and, second, for a sea level canal, which has become the type considered the most desirable by every member of the commission.

It is believed if the commission should fail to present a project of some kind upon which the advice of the consulting board is desired, the latter will follow the practice of every commission which has been appointed in the past, and insist that it ought to go to Panama and examine the ground before expressing an opinion. This will mean a further delay and it is not believed by the men opposed to the policy of the executive committee that the president would approve of anything of the kind if he were in Washington.

MAYOR MAKES NEW RULE.

WILL GRANT NO PERMITS UNDER PUBLIC FRANCHISES.

Declares All Such Applications Hereafter Must Be Passed On by the City Council—Mr. Patterson Unofficially Assumes the Duties of Commissioner of Public Works—Illinois Tunnel Company Seeks Permission to Do Construction Work.

With the turning over of the public works department yesterday to its new commissioner, J. M. Patterson, Mayor Dunne announced a new policy in the granting of permits to corporations holding public franchises. He instructed Mr. Patterson to sign no further permits for construction work by the Illinois Tunnel company, explaining that he wished the city council to take the responsibility for such licenses in the future.

The matter came up in connection with a sheaf of applications for permits by the tunnel company which were among the first papers submitted to Commissioner Patterson. President Wheeler of the tunnel company asked permission to build six pieces of tunnel, from 70 to 225 feet in length, for the connection of the underground transit system with the Union passenger station at Adams and Canal streets. Two connections with the baggage rooms are wanted.

In Accordance with Ordinance.

The ordinance granted the Illinois Telephone and Telegraph company, to which the tunnel company is successor, provides that permits for construction shall be granted either by the mayor or the council. Mayor Harrison was in the habit of delegating the power of approval to Commissioner Blocki. President Wheeler's request in this instance was approved from a technical standpoint by City Engineer Ericson. Commissioner Patterson immediately laid the matter before the mayor, and the result was the decision to put it up to the council.

Commissioner Patterson declined to explain the move at length and referred all inquiries to the mayor. It was admitted, however, by an official close to the commissioner that public utility companies are to be held to a strict discharge of their contract obligations hereafter, and new favors are not to be granted without due compensation.

Mayor to Take Counsel.

"I don't know whether compensation will be required for the granting of permits for extensions," said the mayor. "That is a matter for the attention of the council. I have merely decided that until I can confer with the corporation counsel and commissioner of public works I shall not sign any more permits for the tunnel company."

Mr. Patterson took the office of commissioner of public works yesterday unofficially. Former Commissioner Blocki was sworn in as city treasurer and received the funds from Mr. Hummel. Mr. Patterson will not act officially until after the approval of his appointment by the council next Monday night.

SAYS PUBLIC HAS HAZY VIEW OF CANAL COMMISSION WORK.

J. F. Wallace, Chief Engineer, Returns to Chicago and Declares Systematic Progress Is Being Made on Isthmus.

"The public appears to have an idea that the canal commission is just 'wabbling around' in a hazy way without any definite plan as to the work in Panama," said John F. Wallace, chief engineer of the isthmian commission, yesterday. He had just arrived in Chicago to visit his family for a week or ten days.

"The work of building the canal," he said, "is going forward under definite plans and with satisfactory progress. All is in accordance with the plan recommended by the first isthmian commission, which was headed by Admiral Walker and upon which the Spooner act was based—the ninety foot level canal to cost approximately $194,000,000.

"The commission is constructing a canal in strict accordance with that project, with such necessary minor variations as will not conflict with the general plan. If congress does not take any other action or adopt any other plans it will be completed inside the time outlined and within the amount specified by the Spooner act. These are the facts."

Mr. Wallace said the only question before the American people and congress today is whether or not they desire to construct a better canal—at a lower level or even a sea level canal, for instance, and will provide the additional funds for it—than is contemplated by the present plans. Meanwhile the work is being so managed that whatever modification may be decided upon by the secretary of war, the president, and congress, this work will fit in, and nothing in time or money will have been lost.

SHONTS DIAMOND WEDDING REUNITES LARGE FAMILY.

Parents of New Canal Chairman Celebrate in Residence at Beverly Hills Anniversary of Their Marriage.

A miniature Panama canal, built of flowers and mirrors, was the centerpiece of the dinner table yesterday at the Shonts home in Beverly Hills. The occasion was the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Henry Daniel Shonts, the parents of the newly appointed chairman of the Panama canal commission. The celebration assumed the form of a family reunion.

At the "Pacific" end of the canal places were reserved for Mr. T. P. Shonts and his family, but they could not be present.

Tea was brewed in a kettle that had been in the family for more than 100 years. Many other relics were displayed, and the traditions of the Huguenot ancestors were retold.

Dr. Shonts was born in Meadville, Pa. For more than fifty years he has practiced medicine, mainly in Centerville, Ia. Mrs. Margaret Nevins Marshall Shonts is of Scotch-Irish descent, of the family of Hamilton. Her more immediate ancestors figured in the revolution.

Among those who were present at the anniversary were Mrs. D. C. Campbell, a sister of the canal commissioner; Miss Eva Marshall Shonts, president of the Young People's Christian Temperance Union; also, the three grandchildren, and the eleven great grandchildren of the old couple.

Stops Consolidation of Cities.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 24.—Former Gov. Stone presented to the state Supreme court today a bill in equity to restrain the consolidation of the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny. After listening to the argument the Supreme court granted a cautionary restraining order preventing the court of Quarter Session of Allegheny county from ordering a special election on the petition of the mayor of Pittsburg.

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Colts Get Their Eyes on the Ball and Win by a Score of 7 to 1.

IS LEEVER A HAS BEEN?

Once Dreaded Schoolmaster's "Whip" Seems to Have Been Broken.

Chicago's Colts defeated the Pittsburg Pirates at the west side grounds yesterday afternoon and incidentally showed they could do stunts at batting. The score was 7 to 1, and it was only through the generosity of Jake Weimer that the gang from "Smoketown" escaped the humility of another whitewash.

Selee's men made more noise with the stick than they had for a long time, and bombarded three Pirate pitchers until they were ready to take to the woods and hide. Manager Clarke first sent Sam Leever, who has been more or less of a stumbling block to the Colts in former years, to the firing line. The "Schoolmaster" hardly got started before the Colts got busy. They banged his fine assortment of benders to all corners of the lot and, after three innings, in which five Colts had romped across the plate, Leever disappeared.

When the fourth started Hildebrand appeared on the slab. The change seemed to be for the better, for the ex-Princeton southpaw retired the Colts without a hit, but his arm was sore, and in the next round Cass, the third Pirate twirler, went in. For three more innings Selee's men were unable to do further damage, although they threatened runs in the seventh. But what they did to young Mr. Case in the eighth inning was plenty, and some more. Four safe drives, one of them good for three sacks, were pounded out, and when the end of the round came two more runs had crossed the counting station.

Weimer Is Stingy.

In the meantime Weimer was as tight as a snare drum, and for eight innings the Pirates were helpless. Just three singles were made off him in that time, and it looked like a sure shutout when the ninth opened. Then Weimer loosened up a little and the visitors scored one run and got away from the white stuff.

The Colts started the scoring in the first inning, when Casey, the first man up, slammed a drive to right center. Maloney fanned, and Casey slid down to second. A moment later he sailed on to third when Pietz threw the ball out to center field in an effort to catch him at second. Then, when Barry went out on a grounder to McBride, Casey scored.

Two more runs came easily in the second. After Slagle was a goner, Tinker singled to left. Hofman followed with a slashing liner to left, and Clarke made a great run to get it, but just failed to reach, and the hit counted for two bases. Tinker dancing to third. Kling poked out a long fly to Beaumont and Tinker registered at the plate. At the same time Hofman made a dash for third on the catch and Beau threw wide, the ball rolling to the grand stand and Hofman scoring. Then Weimer banged out a single, but the Colts finally were retired on Casey's fly to Beaumont.

Leever Is Sunk.

Leever came in for more bombarding in the next round, and before he could retire the Colts eight of them had faced him, two of whom completed the circuit. Maloney was down for a starter, but Leever walked Barry. McCarthy was easy, and two were gone, when Slagle soaked the sphere out into left for a double, sending Barry home. Then Tinker singled and Slagle reached the plate. The bases were full when Weimer struck out.

The eighth two more came in. Tinker, Hofman, and Kling singled in a row, and after Weimer went out on a grounder Casey tripled to right, and Tinker and Kling came home.

The Pirates got their only run in the ninth. McBride singled and Barry dropped Tinker's throw of Clancy's grounder. Leach got a pass, but was forced at second on Ritchey's grounder, McBride counting. Pelts hit into a double play, which was all. Score:

PITTSBURG.

	AB	R	BH	TB	BB	SH	SB	PO	A	E
Clymer, rf	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
Clarke, lf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Beaumont, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
McBride, ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	1
Clancy, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	0
Leach, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Ritchey, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pietz, c	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0
Leever, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hildebrand, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Case, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	1	4	5	4	1	1	*23	11	3

*Kling out for interference.

CHICAGO.

	AB	R	BH	TB	BB	SH	SB	PO	A	E
Casey, 3b	5	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
Maloney, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Barry, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
McCarthy, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
Slagle, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tinker, ss	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	0
Hofman, 2b	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	0
Kling, c	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	4	1	0
Weimer, p	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	39	5	7	10	0	0	0	24	12	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Chicago	2	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0

Two base hits—Clymer, Slagle, Hofman. Three base hit—Casey. Struck out—By Leever, Maloney, Tinker, Kling, Weimer. Beaumont [2], Ritchey, Pietz. Bases on balls—Off Leever, 2; off Hildebrand, 2; off Case, 1; off Weimer, 1. Double plays—Ritchey-Clancy. Weimer-Tinker-Barry, Tinker-Hofman-Barry. Left on bases—Pittsburg, 7; Chicago, 7. Wild pitch—Weimer. Passed ball—Leever. Time—1:30. Umpire—O'Day.

REDS SMOTHER THE CARDINALS

Win Cincinnati Game by a Score of 8 to 0—Boston Also Is Victor.

Cincinnati, O., April 24.—Hahn pitched his first game of the season and showed excellent form, only one visitor reaching the third. Egan was hit hard in the first two innings, but pitched well thereafter. Score:

Cincinnati	R	H	P	A	E	St. Louis.	R	H	P	A	E
Hargrave, lb	1	1	1	2	0	Clarke, ss	0	0	3	1	1
Seymour, cf	2	2	2	0	0	Shannon, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Bartier, rf	2	2	0	0	0	Smoot, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Odwell, lf	1	1	3	0	0	Grady, lb	0	0	7	1	1
Blandy, 2b	1	2	1	0	0	Dunleavy, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Corcoran, ss	0	1	2	5	2	Burke, 2b	0	0	2	5	2
Bridwell, 3b	0	0	0	1	0	Farrell, 3b	0	1	2	2	1
Schlei, c	0	1	4	0	0	Warner, c	0	0	2	2	0
Hahn, p	0	0	0	0	0	Egan, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	10	27	8	0	Totals	0	4	24	11	5

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Cincinnati	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hits—Seymour 2. Three base hits—Odwell, Blankenship, Duniesvy. Bases on balls—Off Hahn, 2; off Egan, 3. Sacrifice hits—Bridwell, Schrie. Hit by pitched ball—By Hahn, 1; by Egan, 1. Struck out—By Hahn, 3; by Egan, 1. Time—1:30. Umpire—Klem. Attendance—2,400.

Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 24.—Poor fielding by the home team's infielders allowed Boston to win at Washington park today. Strickfett injured his ankle sliding to base and was forced to give way to Scanlan in the fifth inning. Score:

Brooklyn	R	H	P	A	E	Boston	R	H	P	A	E
Sheckard, lf	0	0	1	1	0	Cannell, cf	1	1	1	0	0
Lumley, rf	1	2	1	0	0	Tenney, lb	1	1	14	0	0
Batch, 3b	0	1	2	1	1	Abbat'c, ss	0	0	2	4	0
Owens, 2b	0	0	1	1	0	Gleason, 2b	0	0	2	3	0
Lewis, ss	0	1	0	4	1	Barclay, lb	0	0	8	0	0
Dobbs, c	0	0	4	1	0	Sharpe, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Babb, lb	0	0	17	0	1	Hunter, c	0	0	4	1	0
Ritter, c	0	0	6	3	1	Needham, c	1	2	1	1	0
Strickfett, p	0	0	0	0	0	Harley, p	0	0	1	7	0
Scanlan, p	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	3	5	27	15	3	Totals	4	5	27	16	2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Brooklyn	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	*3
Boston	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1—4

Two base hit—Dobbs. Sacrifice hits—Lauterborn, Harley. Stolen bases—Wolverton, Needham. Bases on balls—Off Strickfett, 1; off Scanlon, 2; off Harley, 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Strickfett, 1. Struck out—By Strickfett, 1; by Scanlon, 1; by Harley, 1. Wild pitches—Strickfett, Scanlon. Umpire—Johnstone.

"Jimmie" Gardner Dies at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 24.—[Special.]—"Jimmie" Gardner, baseball player and manager, died this morning at Passavant hospital from an abscess in the ear. He graduated from the amateur ranks directly into the National league, pitching first for Chicago and later coming to Pittsburg. He returned to Chicago and was on Frank Selee's training staff until three years ago. He then managed the Toronto team. Gardner was admitted to the Allegheny county bar but never practiced, as ill health made him seek an outdoor life.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	AMERICAN LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	9	3	.833	Detroit	7	2	.800
Pittsburg	5	3	.625	Philadelphia	5	1	.714
Philadelphia	4	3	.571	New York	4	3	.571
Chicago	4	5	.444	Washington	4	4	.500
Boston	4	5	.444	St. Louis	4	4	.500
Cincinnati	4	5	.444	Cleveland	3	5	.400
St. Louis	3	5	.375	Chicago	3	5	.375
Brooklyn	3	7	.300	Boston	2	6	.250

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	4	0	1.000	Louisville	2	2	.400
Columbus	3	1	.750	Indianapolis	1	3	.333
Minneapolis	3	1	.750	St. Paul	1	3	.250
Kansas City	2	2	.500	Toledo	0	4	.000

Yesterday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 7; Pittsburg, 1.
New York, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
Cincinnati, 8; St. Louis, 0.
Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 1.
Washington, 4; New York, 3.
Detroit, 2; Cleveland, 0.
Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Milwaukee, 7; Louisville, 1.
Indianapolis, 4; St. Paul, 1.
Columbus, 3; Kansas City, 1.
Minneapolis, 9; Toledo, 3.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Memphis, 6; New Orleans, 1.
Birmingham, 6; Nashville, 5.
Atlanta, 8; Montgomery, 3.

Games Today.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Boston at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago at St. Louis.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

MOB NEW YORK GIANTS.

M'GRAW'S PLAYERS AGAIN ATTACKED AT PHILADELPHIA.

Spectators Rush the Team When It Leaves Ball Park and Scores of Policemen Are Necessary to Protect the Men—Catcher Bresnahan Is Arrested to Save Him from Injury, and Officers Are Forced to Draw Revolvers—Eggs Are Thrown.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 24.—[Special.]—The New York Giants were again mobbed today after leaving Huntington park, where only the presence of scores of policemen in uniform and the knowledge that the bleachsers were packed with plain clothes men kept the crowd of 17,000 persons from overflowing into the field and rushing the players.

The riot of Saturday paled beside the occurrences of today, and before the mob could be scattered the police were forced to draw revolvers, and Bresnahan, the New York catcher, was arrested for his own protection. The mob went to the grounds all primed for trouble, carrying eggs, vegetables, and bricks. The announcement that President Pulliam had suspended not only McGann of New York, whose blows on Saturday caused the trouble, and Abbott, the Philadelphia player who was struck, further maddened the crowd. The presence of the policemen awed the crowd in the grounds and stopped any demonstration, save a vocal one. This, however, was good and plenty.

Players Forced to Fight.

The game went on in perfect pandemonium. After it was over the New Yorkers had to fight their way into their coach with the assistance of the police. Thousands followed, pelting the players with eggs and stones. When Bresnahan was reached a boy hit Catcher Bresnahan squarely in the face with a piece of dirt. Bresnahan jumped out of the carriage and, chasing the boy, hit him. Both sides of Broad street were thronged with people returning from the game.

In an instant Bresnahan was surrounded by an infuriated crowd, but before he could be badly beaten the police surrounded him and took him down to a patrol box, intending to take him to the station. Pending the arrival of the patrol wagon Bresnahan was taken into a grocery store at the corner.

Crowd Follows Officers.

The crowd which followed the officers and Bresnahan from Broad street was augmented and in less than a minute navigation on both Dauphine and Fifteenth streets was tied up. For a time it looked as if Bresnahan would be taken from the officers, who finally were compelled to draw their guns. Even the display of firearms did not altogether subdue some of the rioters, for suddenly many vegetables displayed in front of the store began flying and the store almost was wrecked before help came. Hounds chased the patrol, firing potatoes, eggs, and anything else that came handy. Bresnahan immediately was released at the station.

President Pulliam has suspended First Baseman McGann of New York for ten days and imposed a fine of $100 upon him for causing the disturbance last Saturday afternoon. Catcher Abbott of Philadelphia has been suspended for a week and fined $50.

New York won out in the ninth inning. Matthewson sending two runs across the plate with a single. Score:

New York	R	H	P	A	E	Philadelphia	R	H	P	A	E
Donlin, cf	1	2	1	1	0	Thomas, cf	1	0	2	0	0
Strang, rf	2	1	2	0	0	Gleason, 2b	0	0	2	3	0
Bresnahan, cl	2	1	0	1	0	Courtney, 3b	0	0	1	0	0
Mertes, lf	1	1	3	1	0	Magee, lf	0	1	2	0	1
Dahlen, ss	0	0	1	2	0	Dahlen, ss	0	0	1	2	0
Devlin, 3b	0	1	1	1	0	Brand'a, 1b	0	1	10	0	0
Gilbert, 2b	1	1	2	0	0	Doolin, ss	1	1	1	1	0
Bowerman, lb	0	0	10	2	0	Moran, c	0	0	4	0	0
Matth'son, p	0	1	0	5	0	Duggleby, p	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	5	11	27	16	4	Totals	2	4	27	7	1

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
New York	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	*5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—2

Two base hits—Donlin, Strang, Bresnahan, Mertes, Duggleby. Three base hit—Titus. Sacrifice hits—Titus, Dahlen, Gleason. Stolen bases—Thomas, Doolin. Double play—Gilbert-Bowerman. Bases on balls—Off Matthewson, 2; off Duggleby, 4. Passed ball—Breanahan. Time—1:30. Umpires—Emslie and Bauswine.

CRANE DEFEATS NORTH SIDERS.

Manual Training School Boys Win First Game of the Season by a Score of 4 to 3.

The Crane High school nine defeated the North Division boys, 4 to 3, in a fast, well played game at West End park yesterday afternoon. The North Division boys started well, making three runs in the first two innings and holding the westsiders to a shutout for the first five innings, but with the change of North Division pitchers in the sixth inning Crane began to hit and won out by bunching safe ones in the sixth, seventh, and ninth innings. Score:

No. Div.	R	H	P	A	E	Crane.	R	H	P	A	E
Pollard, ss	2	2	0	2	0	Gartel, 3b	1	2	1	2	4
Steffen, 3b	1	1	0	1	0	Felien, rf	0	0	2	0	0
Nash, 2b	0	0	2	2	0	Davis, ss	0	1	0	1	2
Stetzer, c	0	0	7	2	0	Palmer, lf	1	1	2	0	0
West'g, lb	0	0	6	0	0	McAuley, lb	1	0	8	0	0
Cronen, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Ringer, 2b	0	0	1	3	0
Caul, cf	0	0	2	0	0	Zestman, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Overbeck, p	0	0	1	1	0	Sutherl'd, c	0	1	1	1	0
Quigley, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Fucik, p	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	3	3	*26	6	3	Totals	4	8	27	7	3

*Two out when winning run was scored.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
North Division	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1—4
Crane	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1—4

Two base hit—Palmer. Struck out—By Cronen, 5; by Overbeck, 2; by Fucik, 7. Bases on balls—Off Cronen, 5; off Overbeck, 2; off Fucik, 4. Time—2:30. Umpire—Wieng.

Notes of the Colts' Game.

Pittsburg again today.

Close to 3,000 people saw the game.

Pfeffer will pitch his first game of the season on the home grounds today.

Tinker did some stick work, rapping out three singles in four times up, the other being a strike out.

Young Hillebrand looks like a comer. He took his time in the one inning he pitched and struck out Maloney.

A fan asked Manager Selee after Sunday's game why he did not send Hofman back to Des Moines. He subsided after yesterday's contest.

Hofman was caught asleep off third in the eighth, or the Colts would have counted one more run. Pietz snapped the ball down to Leach, who had it on him easy enough.

O'Day called Kling out in the sixth, because his foot in Pietz's way when the latter went after his little foul. O'Day did not hesitate in making his decision, as Kling had plenty of time to get out of the way.

Hofman tore loose from his mornings yesterday and batted the ball good and plenty. He secured four hits in four times at bat, one of them a double. His work impressed Manager Selee, for every time he hit the ball he caught it squarely on the seams.

Want Baseball Games.

Norwood Park A. C., J. A. Low, manager, Norwood Park Saturdays.

Morton Groves, George Theobold, manager, Morton Grove, Sundays.

BROWNS BEAT SOX BY HARD BATTING

Pitcher Owen Takes Balloon Ride and St. Louis Players Fatten Averages.

SCORE AT END IS 6 TO 1.

Comiskey's Outfielders Kept Busy Chasing the Ball; Good Work by Sudhoff.

St. Louis, Mo., April 24.—[Special.]—Frank Owen was elected to pilot the Chicago White Stockings before the threatening breezes which fanned Sportsman's park early this afternoon, and he jumped aboard his airship in the second inning. When the aerial flight was over the browns had more hits and runs than they had made during the entire series with Lajoie's alleged "fence breakers." The score at the end was 6 to 1.

The ascension was as unexpected as it was surprising, and was acceptable to the 2,600 fans who braved the gloomy weather to see the first appearance of the Sox here this season. They were amply repaid for the visit, whereas McAleer's men demonstrated on Sunday that pluck and grit will win in the end. Today they took their bats off the shelf and literally walloped the Sox all over the lot. "Ducky" Holmes and Danny Green were kept busy chasing screaming drives from the browns swatsmen clear to the left and right field fences. From center field Manager Jones looked on in dismay, but refused to relieve Owen.

Browns Bat Ball Hard.

The browns batted like demons, fielded like veterans, and "Wee Willie" Sudhoff again had the mystic combination which was so effective against the Lajoieites. A shutout would have been registered against the visitors had Van Zant's error in center field in misjudging "Jiggs" Donohue's long drive in the sixth inning not permitted Georgie Davis to make the circuit of the bases before the ball was returned.

The game was fast, and outside of the battingfest of the browns in the second and the attempt to resume the slaughter in the third the affair was closely contested. Dundon played a clever game at second, piloting a neat double in the sixth to Donohue, accepting nine chances without an error, and making half of the hits made by the tribe of Comiskey. Sudhoff fielded his position in great style, accepting several chances.

Owen Becomes Steady.

Owen was effective with men on bases after the fatal aeronautic spiel. With Stone on third in the eighth inning and no one out he fanned Frisk and Van Zant and forced Jones to drop an easy one to Tannehill.

The real sensation of the game came in the third inning, when Tom Jones stole third and then plowed for home while Owen held the ball. A more daring feat was never pulled off on the local grounds. Tom deliberately swung for the rubber while Owen was untwisting himself to throw. He saw the move and broke off his contortions and let the ball go, but in his hurry it went wild by a few feet. It was just enough to land Jones safely. Score:

St. Louis.	R	H	P	A	E	Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E
Stone, lf	0	2	0	0	0	Holmes, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Van Zant, cf	0	1	0	1	0	F. Jones, cf	0	0	5	0	0
Frisk, rf	0	1	2	0	0	Green, rf	0	0	1	0	0
T. Jones, 1b	2	2	11	1	0	Davis, ss	0	1	2	2	0
Wallace, ss	2	2	1	3	0	Donohue, 1b	0	0	11	0	0
Sugden, c	1	1	7	1	0	Sullivan, c	0	2	3	0	0
Padden, 2b	0	1	2	3	0	Tannehill, 2b	0	0	1	3	0
Sleason, 3b	0	1	2	1	0	Dundon, 2b	0	0	3	5	0
Sudhoff, p	0	0	1	1	0	Owen, p	0	0	0	4	0
						*Callahan	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	14	27	16	1	Totals	1	6	24	13	1

*Batted for Owen in ninth.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	*—6
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Two base hits—Stone, Wallace, Padden, Sullivan [2]. Three base hit—Padden. Sacrifice hits—Van Zant, Frisk, Dundon. Donohue. Stolen bases—T. Jones, F. Jones. Bases on balls—Off Owen, 2; off Sudhoff, 3. Struck out—By Sudhoff, 3; by Owen, 2. Double play—Dundon, Donohue, Jones. Passed ball—Sullivan. Time—1:40. Umpires—Kelley and McCarthy.

CHAMPIONS ARE DOING BETTER.

Win Another Game from the Athletics—Jesse Tannehill Pitches Effectively.

Boston, Mass., April 24.—Boston won today's game by timely batting in the first and fourth innings. Tannehill was effective throughout, holding the Athletics to three scattered singles. Score:

Boston.	R	H	P	A	E	Philadelphia.	R	H	P	A	E
Burkett, lf	0	1	2	0	0	Hartsel, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Parent, ss	1	1	2	3	0	Lord, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Selbach, cf	1	2	3	0	0	Davis, 1b	0	0	9	0	0
Collins, 3b	1	1	0	2	0	Cross, 3b	0	0	0	2	0
Freeman, rf	0	0	2	0	0	Seybold, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Lach'ce, 1b	1	1	8	1	0	Murphy, 2b	1	1	2	1	0
Ferris, 2b	0	0	2	2	0	Knight, ss	0	0	2	2	0
Moriarty, c	0	0	2	2	0	Powers, c	0	0	5	0	0
Tannehill, p	0	1	0	3	1	Plank, p	0	0	0	5	0
Totals	3	6	27	13	2	Totals	1	2	24	9	1

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Boston	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	*—3
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1

Three base hit—Selbach. Stolen base—Parent. Bases on balls—Off Tannehill, 1; off Plank, 1. Hit by pitched balls—By Plank, 3. Struck out—By Tannehill, 5; by Plank, 5. Passed ball—McGovern. Wild pitch—Plank. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Laughlin. Attendance—6,957.

Washington, 4; New York, 3.

New York, April 24.—By a score of 4 to 3 the Washington baseball team defeated the New York Americans here today. Poulson's unbroken string of two successive bunts in the third inning gave the visitors a lead which the local men could not reach. A triple play in the latter half of this inning disposed of New York's three best batters, and spoiled the home team's chances. Powell relieved Puttmann in the fifth inning. Score:

Washingtn.	R	H	P	A	E	New York.	R	H	P	A	E
Jones, cf	1	2	2	0	0	Dough'rty, lf	1	2	1	1	0
Hill, 3b	1	1	2	0	0	Keeler, rf	0	0	2	0	0
Stahl, lb	1	2	12	1	0	Chesbro, p	0	0	0	2	0
Huelsman, lf	0	1	2	0	0	Williams, 2b	0	2	2	2	0
Cassidy, ss	0	1	3	1	0	Anderson, cf	1	1	1	0	0
Mullen, 2b	0	0	2	3	0	Conroy, 3b	0	1	1	1	0
Sullivan, rf	0	0	2	0	0	Chase, 1b	0	0	7	1	0
Kittredge, c	1	0	3	1	0	McGuire, c	0	2	6	2	0
Patten, p	0	0	2	7	0	Puttmann, p	0	0	0	2	0
						Powell, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	4	7	27	15	0	Totals	3	10	27	11	2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Washington	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0—4
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—3

Two base hits—Huelsman, Williams, Anderson, McGuire [2]. Three base hit—Stahl. Sacrifice hits—Puttmann, 4 in four innings; off Powell, 3 in five innings. Sacrifice hits—Cassidy, Conroy. Triple play—Patten-Stahl-Cassidy. Bases on balls—Off Patten, 4; off Puttmann, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Puttmann, 1. Struck out—By Patten, 2; by Puttmann, 2; by Powell, 2. Umpire—Connelly. Attendance—5,200.

Detroit, 2; Cleveland, 0.

Detroit, Mich., April 24.—Kitson was effective with men on bases and shut out Cleveland. Both pitchers were wild, and Detroit scored on bases on balls, Crawford's long hit, and the new "squeeze" play. The playing of the local infield was sensational, and Barrett and Vinson made some great catches. Score:

Detroit.	R	H	P	A	E	Cleveland.	R	H	P	A	E
Barrett, cf	0	0	2	0	0	Hickman, rf	0	0	2	0	0
Conslin, 3b	0	0	0	3	0	Ray, cf	0	0	2	0	0
McIntyre, lf	0	0	3	0	0	Flick, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Crawford, 1f	1	2	10	0	0	Bradley, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Hickman, rf	0	0	1	0	0	Bradley, 3b	0	2	1	2	0
Schaefer, 2b	0	0	6	4	0	Turner, ss	0	0	2	5	0
O'Leary, ss	0	0	1	3	0	Clancy, c	0	0	11	2	0
Vinson, c	0	0	6	1	0	Bemis, c	0	0	1	0	0
Kitson, p	0	0	1	3	0	Moore, p	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	2	3	26	10	2	Totals	0	5	24	15	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Detroit	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	*—2
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two base hit—Crawford. Three base hit—Carr. Sacrifice hits—Conslin [2], Schaefer, Bickman. Stolen bases—Bay, Hickman. Bases on balls—Off Kitson, 4; off Moore, 5. Struck out—By Kitson, 2; by Moore, 2. Double play—O'Leary-Schaefer-Crawford. Passed ball—Wood. Time—1:55. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—5,000.

COME FOR PASTEUR TREATMENT

Mother-in-Law and Sister-in-Law of Pitcher Hahn Arrive at Chicago Institution.

Cincinnati, O., April 24.—[Special.]—Mrs. Kate Stevens, the mother-in-law of Frank Hahn, the well known pitcher of the Cincinnati reds, and her daughter, Miriam, were taken to Chicago today to enter the Pasteur institute and undergo a course of treatment to ward off the effects of hydrophobia. They were bitten a few days ago by a pet dog belonging to Hahn. Members of their family did not at first anticipate any evil effects, although the animal had been acting strangely, until after it died. As was supposed, from the rabies. A post-mortem examination by a veterinary showed conclusively that the dog had hydrophobia. As soon as Mr. Stevens, the husband, was informed of the facts, he sent his wife and daughter to Chicago. He has been informed his wife is in a critical condition, with small hope of recovery.

BIG SCORE BY WIENOLD.

LAKE VIEW PLAYER ROLLS 711 IN STATE TOURNEY.

Total Is the Largest Ever Made in a Big Event on New Alleys, the Best Previous Being 683, Made at Indianapolis by D. A. Jones of Milwaukee—Joe Schmidt and Hank Rogman Take Second Place in the Doubles.

Totals of 223, 241, and 247, rolled last night by Bob Wienold, the big Lake View bowler, netted him a score of 711 and gave him the lead in the individual event of the Illinois state tournament at Aurora hall.

The figures are the best ever made in a big tournament on new alleys, the best previous being 683, made by D. A. Jones of Milwaukee when he won the national championship at Indianapolis in the days of the loaded ball. W

COMBINE FORMED TO STOP HARRIMAN

Rockefeller, Morgan, and Hill Interests Together Fear His Ambitions.

SMITH SHOWGIRL'S AID.

State Declares Nan Patterson's Brother-in-Law Bought Pistol That Killed Young.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, April 24.

A combination of powerful interests in the financial world has been effected, the object of which is to administer a check to what is termed by many the "pence disturbing ambitions" of E. H. Harriman, president of the Union Pacific railroad, and hitherto the controlling spirit of the administration of the affairs of that property.

Powerful Interests Combine to Check Harriman.

An understanding was reached by the so-called Rockefeller, Morgan, and Hill interests, by which the holdings of the Union Pacific stock of these men and their friends will be devoted as a unit to the purpose of handling all questions affecting not only this property but its relations with other railroads as well. As a consequence of such understanding it is not likely the proposed $100,000,000 issue of preferred stock of the Union Pacific will be authorized at the meeting on May 5 in Salt Lake City. All the men directly concerned decline to talk about it for publication.

The opinion was expressed by a prominent banker in Wall street that the issue of the Wabash Pacific bonds and the announcement that the road will be actually constructed, is intended to a large extent as a check to Harriman, as among those who are supposed to be backing the road besides George Gould and some Rock Island people is Edwin Hawley, who opposed Harriman in several instances recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam Bradlee Strong began a week's engagement this afternoon at Keeney's Fulton street theater in Brooklyn, presenting what is labeled a dramatic sketch entitled "The Actress and the Detective." Mrs. Strong is billed as "Miss May Yohe, the star of two continents."

"That revolver had been bought the day before at the pawn shop of Hyman Stern by J. Morgan Smith, brother-in-law of Nan Patterson." In that one sentence, without any further comment, Assistant District Attorney Rand, in his opening address to the jury today, accused J. Morgan Smith of having purchased the pistol with which Bookmaker "Caesar" Young was killed in a cab with Nan Patterson the morning of June 4, just before he was to sail for Europe with his wife. Rand gave no indication of how he intends to prove that Smith bought the pistol.

Accuses Smith of Buying Pistol for Nan Patterson.

Ake Levy of counsel for Miss Patterson, said he will be able to prove that Smith could not have been the buyer of the revolver.

A few minutes before Recorder Goff adjourned court the Smiths were taken from the tombs to be identified by Detective Quinn, who had been describing the scene at the coroner's court when Miss Patterson met the Smiths.

"The defendant said, 'O, Morgan; Caesar is dead.' Then I looked at Smith. He was pale almost," explained Quinn when Assistant District Attorney Garvan stopped him. Garvan motioned to a court officer, and the door opened. Smith and his wife walked in and marched up within a few feet of Nan Patterson. Mrs. Smith was pale. Her sister fidgeted. Pointing to Smith, Garvan said:

"Is this the J. Morgan Smith you saw at the coroner's court?"

"It is," replied Quinn.

"And is this Mrs. J. Morgan Smith?"

"Yes, sir."

The session then adjourned, and shortly afterwards Nan Patterson fainted in the tombs. She had revived, however, in time for the later session.

On behalf of Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany diplomas commending their bravery were presented yesterday to fifty-one nurses on North Brother island who aided in the rescue of women and children from the steamer General Slocum, which burned June 15 with the loss of 1,000 lives.

Imposition of the prison penalty for automobile speeders was threatened today by City Magistrate Cornell when E. R. Thomas, the capitalist and horse racing man, was arraigned charged with running his automobile at a dangerous rate of speed on Seventh avenue yesterday. Thomas waived examination and gave $300 bail for trial in the Court of General Sessions. The magistrate said to him:

Court Threatens E. R. Thomas with Jail.

"I have spoken to you before, Mr. Thomas, about this reckless speeding of motor cars. The only course, I think, that can be pursued to check these outrages is the prison penalty. I cannot find words to express my horror for motor speeding. It is terrible."

Ex-Lieut. Gov. Timothy L. Woodruff and Miss Isabel Morrison were married this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. John Estaran Morrison, at Dorilton, 171 West Seventy-first street. Only the immediate friends of the couple were present. Bishop Gabrells of Ogdensburg performed the ceremony. He was assisted by the Rev. Father Taylor of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, of which Miss Morrison is a member.

T. L. Woodruff, Ex-Lieut. Governor, Married.

The fruits of the big police raid upon Chinatown in which 213 alleged patrons of fantan, pyegow, and other gambling games were arrested last night, faded away in a mystifying fashion today when the police attempted to arraign the Chinese in police court. Only twenty-one were held, and in the confusion caused by the similarity of their faces three of these escaped.

Cannot Identify Chinese Arrested; 194 Released.

Bids for $25,000,000 of 3½ per cent bonds of the City of New York were opened today. The average price offered was 101, as against an average of 102.40 at the last sale. The bidders were not as numerous as usual, and the most of the applications were for small amounts. The Harvey Fisk syndicate was bid under 101, will secure most of the bonds.

Fewer Bidders for $25,000,000 of City Bonds.

F. E. Marshall, formerly vice president of the National Bank of Commerce of St. Louis, was today elected president of the Phenix National bank of this city. Morgan, Hill, and Belmont interests will control the reorganized bank together with the new St. Louis president.

St. Louis Man Is Chosen Head of Phenix Bank.

In Charge of Easter Party.

MISS MARY CLERKEN.

Sherman council of the Young Men's Institute will celebrate its tenth anniversary tonight with an Easter party in Columbus hall, 638 North Clark street. The clubhouse is in the cathedral parish at 340 East Superior street. Miss Mary Clerken is one of the patronesses of the council, and she, with four other young women, Miss Katherine Corby, Miss Sophia Minwegen, Miss Dolly Kempf, and Miss Belle Connelly, have charge of the program arrangements. The hall has been decorated and preparations made to receive 400 guests. A short program will be followed by dancing.

LEE NEAR KILLS FUNSTON.

CONSUL IN CUBA TAKES KANSAN FOR WOULD-BE ASSASSIN.

Victor Over Aguinaldo Appears in Havana Looking Like a Tramp, After Months of Service as Gomez's Chief of Artillery—General, Being Warned of Plot to Take His Life, Keeps Hand on Revolver When American Comes to His Office.

Hartford, Conn., April 24.—[Special.]—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, who appeared before the Connecticut general assembly this week in behalf of an appropriation for the Jamestown exposition, said that while consul at Havana he came near killing Gen. Frederick Funston, believing him to be bent upon assassination.

Just before the Maine was blown up Gen. Lee received many threats that he would be killed and was in daily fear of his life. Soon after being warned of a plot to slay him the American consul got one of the worst scares in his life.

He was alone in his office when the door opened and one of the worst looking faces he had ever seen looked in at him. The man had long hair, unkempt beard, and a gaunt appearance. His hat was full of holes, shoes about all gone, and he had no clothing apparently but a linen duster. He approached Gen. Lee cautiously, and the latter instinctively grasped his revolver. "If that fellow had once put his hand under his duster I am positive I would have shot him without waiting for a word," said Gen. Lee.

"I was satisfied he had been hired to come and kill me. When he approached to a speaking distance he astonished me by asking in good English if I was Gen. Lee. I told him I was and asked him who he was. He said he belonged to the Cuban army, was Gen. Gomez's chief of artillery, and wanted to go back to the United States.

"He said he was from Kansas and had enough of the Cubans. I told him he was taking his life in his hands by coming into the Spanish lines, and if he was caught they would make quick work of him as a spy.

"He said he didn't care. I was satisfied he was telling the truth and sent him out for a bath and hair cut. When he came back in a new suit of clothes you wouldn't have recognized him as the same man. I got him aboard a steamer the next day without arousing any suspicion. He landed safely in the United States. That man was Gen. Funston, who captured Aguinaldo."

RAILROAD TO MAKE TROUBLE FOR THE "FAKE" CLAIMANTS.

Warrant Obtained for Arrest of Woman and Others in the Doremus Wreck Is to Be Investigated.

Agents for the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railway company procured a warrant yesterday for the arrest of Mrs. Mary Smutny, 22 years old, 1319 South Forty-third street, on the charge of making a "fake" claim for personal injuries in connection with the Doremus Sunday school train wreck.

The claim was settled, it is alleged, last week when agents of the railway paid Mrs. Smutny $25. In an affidavit she asserted she was thrown forward from her seat when the wreck occurred, and was severely injured. She was married only a short time before.

"Her settlement of the case for so small an amount when she claims to have been injured so severely," said Claim Agent C. B. Cardy, "led us to investigate her case. She swore that since the accident she had been compelled to hire a neighbor to do her washing and housework. The woman named indignantly denied this."

According to Cardy, since the excursion train was wrecked at Glenwood last July there have been many fraudulent injury claims paid by the company. Although only seventy-five persons were hurt, it is declared, more than 300 claims have been presented.

More than thirty of the claimants whose demands have been met by payments of money are declared by the railway officials to be in danger of arrest on complaints similar to that against Mrs. Smutny. An investigation of all claims is asserted to be under way.

SEEK TO TURN BACK WHEAT.

Shippers Will Divert to Buffalo Ten Cargoes Secretly Sent from Duluth for Chicago.

Ten cargoes of wheat from Duluth, which were shipped just prior to the collapse of the Gates corner, are now on the way, and frantic efforts were being made by the shippers yesterday to divert them and send them to Buffalo. The clearances of the grain had been suppressed at Duluth notwithstanding the stringent United States regulations regarding destination of clearances.

Rely Upon Platt's Chlorides to disinfect house drains, water closets, sinks, etc.

EQUITABLE INTO COURTS AT LAST.

Suits Filed in New York and Elsewhere Ask for Receiver and Injunctions.

FACTION FIGHT GOES ON.

Frick Committee Said to Have Named Judge Gray as President of Society.

New York, April 24.—[Special.]—While the Frick committee, investigating the charges and counter charges within the official ranks of the Equitable Life Assurance society, is said to have chosen a new president, and James J. Hill has declined to act with the committee, storms are arising outside. A suit was filed here today in the United States Circuit court asking that a receiver be appointed for the big surplus fund. Another suit was filed in Philadelphia and there are rumors of Wisconsin, Louisiana, Illinois, and Maryland suits, all for the same purpose.

At the same time the wrangle between the Hyde faction and the Alexander faction goes angrily on. Today Hyde's counsel appeared in the Brooklyn Supreme court to wrangle over a sentence in a petition by Alexander to strike out reference to the latter.

Judge Gray Is Named.

The Frick committee has about decided to offer the presidency to United States Circuit Judge George Gray of Wilmington, Del. This, however, has yet to be verified.

On the day the Frick committee was named Hill was at the meeting of the stockholders. He had been a stockholder and large policy holder twenty-five years. Young Hyde spoke for the stockholders, and so did Edward H. Harriman, although he holds but five shares, through an escrow arrangement with young Hyde, and is a policy holder of six week's standing. George E. Tarbell spoke for the agents, and finally Hill made a speech that, as the stockholders and agents had been represented, he thought it would be a good thing if the 600,000 policy holders, who supplied the income of $60,000,000 annually to the society, could have a word said for them.

Hill became disliked for presuming to speak up for such persons as the policy holders. He saw the majority of his associates were more interested for the stockholders than for the policy holders and he quit.

Compromise Between Factions.

It was learned today that Harriman wanted to be chairman of the stockholders' committee, but this was thought to be inadvisable, and Henry C. Frick was put at the head of the committee. Frick is one of Harriman's right hand directors in the Union Pacific railroad company. If he is to be made president he will be open to the suspicion that he is Harriman's and Hyde's man and for that reason the Harriman-Hyde people, together with certain members of the Frick committee, have turned to Judge Gray.

The bill of equity filed today in the United States Circuit court was by J. Wilcox Brown of Maryland and others against the Equitable Life, asking for an accounting and for the appointment of a receiver for the surplus. Brown, a resident of Baltimore, says he has held a $25,000 policy since 1867, and he elected to apply his share of the surplus of the society to the reduction of his premiums. He alleges that at first he obtained a substantial reduction, but that subsequently his reduction amounted scarcely to anything.

Says His Share Was Withheld.

Brown avers the officers, in violation of the charter and the law, have not apportioned to his policy his share of the surplus, that it has been withheld from him and others not with the design to administer the affairs of the society prudently, but with the purpose to pile up a large fund to which the stockholders could assert ownership in defiance of the charter and the law. The society and the stockholders, he says, have recently set forth this claim to ownership of part of the surplus, which is the property of the policy holders, and they intend to continue to appropriate to themselves a portion of this surplus.

Brown alleges that the further administration of the funds of the society has been unlawful, that the officers have present interests which are adverse to the interests of the policy holders, and that the society is not the proper conservator of his funds.

Brown Asks for Injunction.

Brown estimates his damage to be $2,000, and alleges it will be much more if the present course of the society is not restrained. For relief he asks an injunction preventing the society from further withholding the surplus funds; that the society produce all its records; that an accounting be taken; that a trust be declared to be in existence; that policy holders be credited with their proper share of the surplus, as determined by the accounting; and that a receiver be appointed for the surplus fund.

It was said tonight that the policy holders of Ohio and retained Senator Foraker and others, and in Wisconsin Senator Spooner, to bring actions in the federal courts to put the surplus of the company in the hands of a receiver pending the investigation of the allegations that the funds had been mismanaged.

Says Brown Has No Policy.

Baltimore, Md., April 24.—J. Wilcox Brown, who has applied in New York for the appointment of a receiver for the Equitable Life Assurance society, was president of the Maryland Trust company up to the time that institution went into the hands of a receiver. Joseph Bowes, local manager of the Equitable, says that Mr. Brown's suit is brought on some policy and in some interest of which he knows nothing, and that Brown has no policy. An acquaintance of Brown's stated tonight, however, that he knows he does hold such a policy.

Several Sue in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 24.—Joseph DeF. Junkin of this city, who is one of the attorneys in the suit instituted in New York today asking for a receiver for the Equitable Life Assurance society, said tonight that he represents a number of Philadelphians who are heavy policy holders in the Equitable. He said that interventions will be filed in New York tomorrow by several hundred other policy holders who reside in this city.

JOHN D. M'ILVAINE IS DEAD.

One of the Founders of the Lake View First Presbyterian Church Expires.

John D. McIlvaine, 87 years old, died yesterday at his residence, 453 Evanston avenue. He was one of the founders of the First Presbyterian church of Lake View, and when some of the members of the old Fullerton avenue church determined to start a church of their own, the first meeting was held at his home. He was born in Lancaster county, N. Y., and went in early manhood to Whiteside county, Ill., where he engaged in the general merchandise business. In early war times he came to Chicago, but retired from active life some twenty years ago. He was the father of William D. McIlvaine of the Plaza and of Mrs. John P. Wilson, 564 Dearborn avenue.

OBITUARY.

DR. ERNEST J. MILLER, formerly of Chicago, died at El Paso, Tex., of tubercular meningitis. Dr. Miller was for a time surgeon at Cook County hospital, also at the Presbyterian hospital, and later on the staff of physicians at Augustana hospital. He went to El Paso three years ago. He left a widow.

JOSEPH ANDERSON, during thirty years a live stock commission merchant at the Chicago stockyards, died last Saturday in Rochester, N. Y. He was 80 years old and came to Illinois from Kentucky in 1829. The burial will be at Macomb, Ill., next Thursday.

ROBERT C. FOWLER JR., Chicago, coinventor of the single type casting and setting machine, died of heart disease yesterday at 2124 Michigan boulevard. He was 25 years old and a graduate of the University of Maryland Law college.

MEN DON BALLET ATTIRE.

TRIANGLE CLUB OF PRINCETON GIVES A CLEVER SHOW.

Musical Comedy, "The Pretenders," Presented in Professional Style by Gifted Amateurs Before a Large Audience in Music Hall, Fine Arts Building—Amusing Plot Affords Delightful Entertainment—Pleasing Lyrics Abound in Production.

Music hall, in the Fine Arts building, rang last night with the tuneful choruses and catchy ditties of a musical comedy, while "real men" tripped the light fantastic in ballet attire. Society looked on and applauded enthusiastically. It was a "professionally good" presentation of an amateur production, "The Pretenders," by the members of the Triangle club of Princeton university, and the little theater was crowded to the doors.

The "plot" of the affair centers around the troubles of William Perkins, an American, who leaves his wife in the states and goes off for a "bachelor honeymoon" to the isle of Appolonaire. He enters into a conspiracy with the prince of a neighboring island to secure the dowery of the Princess Bessina of Appolonaire. His wife follows him to the island, and complications ensue. Perkins lands in jail, escapes execution, and is finally freed through the efforts of a band of astrologers, impersonated by his wife and daughters and others not subjects of the pasha of Appolonaire.

Danced Like Carmencita.

Corinne, one of Perkins' beautiful daughters, impersonated by R. S. Barbee, danced like a second Carmencita. Christine, the other daughter, sang and made love, and that was all she had to do. G. S. Warren was Christine. Mrs. Angelica Perkins (G. L. Sargent) wore gray hair and had a straight front—front and back. So did the other "women." Perkins himself (G. L. Burton) was a comedian, vying with K. R. McAlpin as Hawkins, a waiter. Hawkins had a "kiddish" voice and an English accent. H. G. Treadwell as Nick O'Teene, a messenger boy, stuttered with a new kind of stutter.

Doctor Too Busy to Flirt.

Dr. Æsopus Bauble, an appendix, wore impossible eyeglasses that kept him so busy adjusting them he didn't have time to flirt with the girls in the boxes. H. O. Milliken made a stately serio-comic Pasha, ably assisted by W. W. Righter as Mustapha Din, his trusted mouthpiece.

The piece is in two acts. The lyrics and the music were composed by Kenneth S. Clark and the book by John Matter and James D. Voorhees. Interpolated lyrics were by Herbert L. Dillon and Russell C. Veit. The orchestra, which was led by Mr. Clark, consisted of Princeton students. Among the lyrics of especial merit were "Pipe Dreams," "Hot Airy Mary," "Gooseberry," "School Days," and "Jimmy the Tout." The affair was given under the auspices of the Princeton club of Chicago.

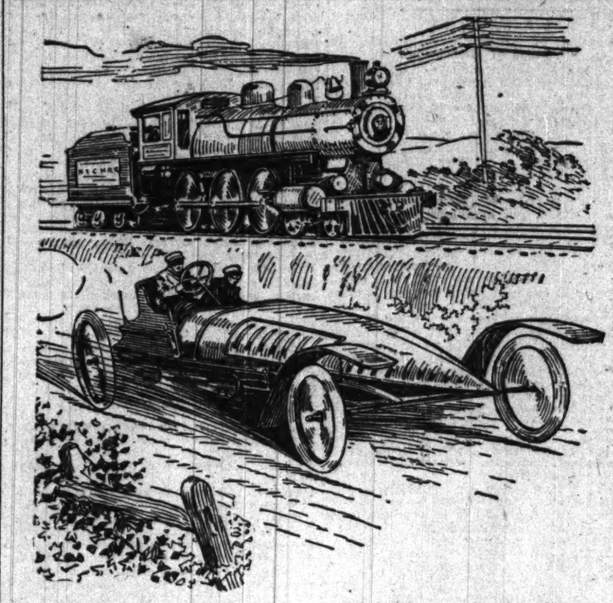
CHILD IS PASS TO EGG ROLLING.

Rule Barring Adults Unaccompanied by Youths to White House Ground Makes Business for Boys.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—[Special.]—The rule that no grown person not accompanied by a child be allowed in the White house grounds at the annual Easter Monday egg rolling gave young Washington a chance to earn spending money, and young Washington took advantage of the chance.

To accommodate the tourists who were not traveling with the younger members of their families and who wished to see the great annual festival there was an active crop of youngsters about the gates ready and anxious to be hired at the rate of 10 cents a head. Once past the entrance gate with their elders the lads swiftly passed out at an opposite gate, only to make a new transaction.

Early in the day Mrs. Roosevelt went out on the south front balcony accompanied by her children and a party of friends and watched the sport, which was limited to the hours between 9 a. m. and 1 p. m. With Mrs. Roosevelt were Mrs. Fairbanks, Mrs. Timmons, Miss Morton, and Col. and Mrs. Bromwell and quite a party of children.



THE BIG RACE.

Human Lives Are Sacrificed.

At this time of the year many automobile experts are looking ahead to a final test between the automobile and the locomotive. Already the automobile has made faster time than any locomotive, but there is danger ahead for all concerned in such races. This season of the year reminds us that we are all more or less in a race for life in which death overtakes many who are run down and in a weakened condition, ready to take up with the germs of grip, pneumonia, spring fever, later typhoid and the many weaknesses which often end with consumption and the grave. A reliable tonic is what is needed, something which will put the machinery of the body in strong, vigorous action.

RULES OF HEALTH.

"Remember this, that our bodies will not stand the strain of over-work without good, pure blood any more than the engine can run smoothly without oil." After many years of study in the active practice of medicine, Dr. R. V Pierce found that when the stomach was out of order, the blood impure and there were symptoms of general break-down, a tonic made of the alterative extract of the following medicinal plants and roots was the best corrective. This he called: Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The ingredients:

Golden Seal (*Hydrastis Canadensis*).
Queen's root (*Stillingia Sylvatica*).
Stone root (*Collinsonia Canadensis*).
Cherrybark (*Prunus Virginiana*).
Bloodroot (*Sanguinaria Canadensis*).
Mandrake (*Podophyllum Peltatum*).

For over a third of a century this tonic and alterative has been more largely sold than any other blood medicine or nerve tonic. Being made without alcohol, this "Medical Discovery" does not shrink up the red blood carpuscles, but on the other hand it increases their number, and they become round and healthy. It helps the stomach to assimilate or take up the proper elements from the food, thereby helping digestion and curing dyspepsia, heartburn and many uncomfortable symptoms, such as heart-palpitation due to gas formed in the stomach. It is especially adapted in diseases attended with excessive tissue waste, especially in convalescence from the various spring fevers, whether of a malarial or typhoid character. As a tonic and reconstructive during and after the influences of grip it will prove of particular value. It has been extensively used as a rebuilder after the severity of a rheumatic attack.

Mrs. Gertrude Vandenberg, of 961 College Avenue, Appleton, Wis., says: "I had always enjoyed the best of health until last summer when I had scarlet fever, the effects of which seemed to remain, causing defective hearing; my strength did not return, and I felt acute temple pains, and exhaustion, also I would perspire freely if I made the slightest physical exertion. The doctor did everything he could to drive the humor out of my system, but was unable to do me any good. I began to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and soon found it was helping me slowly but surely. I took it for twelve weeks, when I was restored to perfect health. My appetite is excellent, my complexion much improved, and I am able to attend to my duties with renewed vigor and strength. I heartily recommend your 'Golden Medical Discovery' as a wonderful 'strength-giver.'"

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ADDS TO LOSSES OF GATES CROWD.

Liquidation of 6,000,000 Bushels Wheat Breaks Price to 92 1-2 Cents.

A. J. LICHTSTERN WINNER

Buys In a Short Line at an Estimated Total Profit of $275,000.

Some of the remnants of the big Gates deal in May wheat were liquidated yesterday and they proved larger than the trade generally expected. Fully 6,000,000 bushels were sold, and the avalanche broke the price 7½ cents to 92½ cents, with the close at 93 cents.

The fact that the market held around the closing figure for two hours, absorbing continued and heavy selling by brokers supposed to represent Gates, encouraged the belief that the liquidation must be practically complete, fully 18,000,000 bushels having been sold in the last eight days.

Sales Supposed to Be for Bigelow.

Near the close of the session traders were astounded and shocked by the report that the defalcation of President F. G. Bigelow of the First National bank of Milwaukee was due to speculation in May wheat, and the extent of this financial disaster distracted attention completely for a time from the larger losses of the Gates clique itself. Mr. Bigelow was not known to have been a speculator in grain, but his son, Gordon Bigelow, a member of the firm of Tracy & Co., had been known as a high roller and a plunger, and it was assumed he had involved his father in the deal.

The selling of about 750,000 bushels of May wheat in the last two hours of the session near 93 cents by Knight-Donnelley & Co. was connected at once with the Milwaukee failure. This house has carried a large block of the Gates line and its operations have always been supposed to be for the Gates clique. But the house has a wire to Milwaukee, and a rumor soon started, based on this foundation, that the selling was for Bigelow. This was positively denied by the house which did the selling.

At the opening there was a wild rush to sell by brokers for some of the leading Gates houses, Bartlett, Frazier & Co., Knight, Donnelley & Co., and Woodbury, with transactions in different parts of the pit, covering a range of 2 cents, from 98 cents to 96 cents, the latter figure a break of 4 cents from the closing price of Saturday. Some of the big shorts had heavy buying orders, which rallied the market to the high opening point, but this demand was not large enough to meet the flood of offerings, and the market gradually worked lower.

Lichtstern's Big Profits.

The largest demand was from J. H. Wrenn & Co., a house which has been the leading commission short in the market. The house was a continuous buyer from the opening until the close, taking probably 1,500,000 bushels. This buying, it is believed, was for Adolph J. Lichtstern, who sold a line of wheat short last fall, from $1.12 to $1.15. Although he has been in Europe since that time, Mr. Lichtstern is declared to have stuck to his position and to his short line, in spite of the big concentrated holding by the bulls and the prestige of Gates' wealth. With an average profit of possibly 18 cents a bushel Mr. Lichtstern is supposed to be $275,000 to the good.

Considerable selling was done by brokers who trade for John Cudahy, and that veteran operator was included among the losers. Of the selling of the day 4,000,000 bushels at least was supposed to be for the Gates clique at an average price not better than 95 cents, involving a loss of about 20 cents a bushel from the average price of the Gates holdings. The day's transactions, therefore, must have added approximately $800,000 more to the losses of the Gates clique, which now must total $2,000,000 at least.

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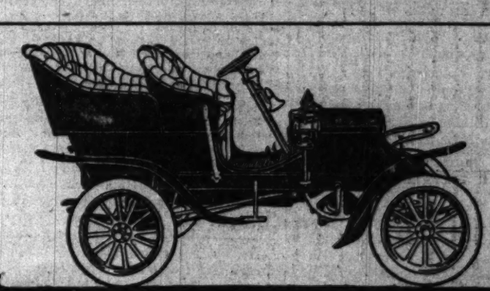

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TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1905.

Better than the newspapers of Germany and Austria shows what a Jules Verne gorgeous imagination can do when it works untrammeled by facts. The United States treasury, according to this story, has been plundered. Bold robbers, in the pay of "certain American millionaires," constructed a large tunnel a mile long from the Potomac river to a place directly under Uncle Sam's vaults in Washington. From this point thirteen shafts were dug upward into the thirteen vaults, and one night the robbers made off through their tunnel on electric cars specially provided for the purpose with $288,000,000. On reaching the Potomac the coin was transferred to twenty submarine boats. These transported it to Chesapeake bay, where it was transferred to five large sea going steamers. At last reports the entire North Atlantic squadron was in swift pursuit. The author of this story wastes his ability writing for newspapers. They are purveyors of facts. His genius is for ideal istic fiction. He leaves Diamond Dick at the post. Jules Verne is nothing to him. It is said the people of Germany and Austria generally believe the tale. This shows the profound impression American energy and ingenuity have made on their untutored minds. Nothing, they are convinced, is impossible in this country. Our skillful workingmen, our enterprising capitalists, and our ingenious and audacious safe blowers appreciate the implied compliment and will strive to justify it.

THE MILWAUKEE DEFALCATION.

On several occasions the collapse of a corner on the board of trade has been followed by the failure of a bank whose president had been on the wrong side in the corn or wheat pit. The sudden end last week of the attempt to corner May wheat has wrecked no bank so far as known, but it has exposed the defalcation of the president of the First National of Milwaukee, whose operations have cost it over a million dollars. Although the bank is a heavy loser, its solvency is assured. The guarantee of the wealthy directors ought to remove all fears of depositors.

Mr. Bigelow, the president of the bank, was of high standing in the community. He had its confidence. Fellow bankers had faith in him. Now it appears that he has been abstracting the funds of the bank, and persuaded a subordinate to falsify the books so that his transactions might not be discovered. It is the impression that it was no speculative mania of the bank president which led him into crime, but his confidence in the smartness of his son as a speculator. The son is said to have gone into the wheat pool and to have got aid from the father. It is easy to see how the latter, having taken the first false step and become entangled, would not stop short, but went ahead in a blind hope of getting through safely.

This is a melancholy conclusion of an honorable career. It does not matter in the eyes of the law what the motives were which led Mr. Bigelow astray. He has been guilty of grave offenses, and perhaps is resigned to pay the penalty. It must be some relief to him that the torturing suspense of the last few weeks or months is over, even though he knows what awaits him.

This is the first sad sequel of the collapsed wheat deal. It is to be hoped no more will follow.

LIFE INSURANCE NEPOTISM.

The heads of the families which control some of the great life insurance companies believe fully that "if any provide not for his own, and specially for those of his own house, he had denied the faith and is worse than an infidel." In one way, if in none other, they are faithful followers of the precepts of the Apostle Paul.

Members by blood or marriage of the ruling families have to be taken care of. The positions where the pay is good, the work light, and special ability not greatly needed are reserved for them. When there are not many relatives, friends of the family are provided for. One company pays to some of the members of one family $230,000 in yearly salaries.

Seemingly the companies need the merit system to put a stop to nepotism and to extravagance, which goes hand in hand with it. As men who have political power are tempted to create new offices so that there may be more jobs for their followers, so the chiefs of the reigning families of life insurance are urged and frequently persuaded to create a snug berth for a nephew or a niece's husband. That means an increased expenditure with nothing of value to show for it. It is hard to induce the head of a manufacturing concern to give places to his relatives when he can find better qualified men. He is not given to providing sinecures for them. It is against his interest to do so. It is otherwise in some life insurance companies.

The policy holders ought to ask for the merit system in order that office expenses may be kept down. As for the policy holders in mutual companies which have been allowed to slip under family control, they should reassume the powers which they have long ceased to exercise, and take a more active part in the management of their own affairs. They are not obliged to give their proxies continually to the head of a ruling family. They can unite, if they choose, and depose him.

WISDOM FROM GLASGOW.

Three years ago the lord provost of Glasgow, considering the fact that over 13,000 men, most, if not all, of them voters, were on the pay rolls of the city, felt it his duty to call attention to the possibility of the servants of the public becoming its masters if their number were increased by the extension of municipal activity to new undertakings. He said one danger in his mind—

> Was that in the vast army of municipal employés they had an organized host whose operations at the polls might be destructive of the best government of the city. What the remedy might be it was not for him to suggest at present, but in view of that growing danger he had sometimes thought whether the time might not shortly arrive when disfranchisement might be a condition of municipal employment, or, if not disfranchisement, that such bodies might be represented by only a sectional representation carefully and well differentiated.

After the strike of the employés of the state owned railroads of Victoria it was said by government officials that it might become necessary for the protection of the state against its employés to deprive them of the right to vote. In Australia, as in Glasgow, the danger of the political power of confederated public servants has been recognized and the extreme remedy of disfranchisement suggested.

It is not known that the municipal employés of Glasgow have displayed offensive political activity or made combined efforts to influence the action of the council. More progress has been made in that direction in American cities. On different occasions Chicago policemen and firemen have formed associations and have threatened to defeat at the polls aldermen who refused to yield to their demands. New York City policemen have raised large funds to buy from the legislature laws in their interest. President Roosevelt in his last message said that "It is a grave impropriety for government employés to band themselves together for the purpose of extorting improperly high salaries," or of defeating congressmen who had refused to vote for such salaries. Officers of two letter carriers' associations were removed because they had meddled in politics.

Apparently the warning given the associations by a resolute administration has had a good effect. Such warnings would be more needed if the number of men on the government pay rolls were to be greatly increased by the inclusion of railroad, telegraph, and express employés, but it would take more courage to lay down the law to that vast aggregate of voters than it would to a smaller number. The comparatively feeble attempts of Chicago city employés to run the city have been thwarted. It would be another matter if all the men in the employ of the quasi public corporations of Chicago were on the municipal pay roll.

The disfranchisement remedy seriously suggested by the chief magistrate of the city which is held up to Chicago as the one whose progressive policies it should copy is a remedy whose application here would be extremely difficult, if not impossible. The simplest way to avert the danger of a government by office holders for office holders is to move with great slowness and deliberation in the direction of an expansion of municipal activities and pay rolls.

A VICTORY FOR DECENCY.

Reports from Albany indicate that the Niagara falls grab bills are dead—that they have been killed by public sentiment.

The bills provide for the diversion for power purposes of a large portion of the waters of the Niagara river. Their passage and that of a few more like them would destroy the falls. They have been pushed by an able lobby with unlimited means. It has been openly charged, apparently on substantial grounds, that if the bills became laws the man who was chiefly instrumental in pushing them would be paid $5,000, his principal lieutenants $1,000 apiece, and legislators who voted for them $500 each.

A majority of the legislators seemed to have no scruples about destroying Niagara falls. It looked as if nothing could prevent it except the governor's veto. But the means used to promote the bills became too notorious. Public sentiment in New York state and the nation was roused. New York republican leaders recalled what happened to the corrupt democratic party in Missouri last fall. New York lobbyists and legislators perhaps began to have prophetic nightmares of a New York Folk. So it has been decided it would be "impolitic" to pass the grab bills now. They have been pigeonholed until next Wednesday. It is expected they will then be gently chloroformed.

All except those who have hoped to profit by their destruction will be gratified that the falls are to be given a longer lease of life. But the main reason for rejoicing is the victory of public sentiment over public venality. It shows that the wave of indignation and wrath against corrupt practices which has been sweeping the country the last few years is not subsiding or losing its force.

For several years it seemed as if the public conscience must be dead. It was impossible to rouse the people against those who sold them out. But the public conscience was not dead. It was only sleeping. It is awake now. Public corruption seemed once in danger of becoming a national habit. The great need of the country is that public honesty should become a national habit, and it will if the people continue to back up leaders of the fight for decency.

Aldermen and legislators have been corrupt because men with money made it their interest to be. They are not corrupt when prosecuting attorneys, courts, and people make it clearly their interest not to be.

FOLK AND SUNDAY SALOONS.

The fight between Gov. Folk of Missouri and the Sunday saloon goes merrily on. Up to date the governor is on top. The closing law is being strictly enforced in Kansas City and St. Louis. As the saloons in Kansas City, Kas., also are being kept shut on Sunday, dry residents of the former city have to stay dry unless they providently lay in a supply of liquor Saturday night.

Thirsty St. Louisans are more fortunate. About 40,000 of them crossed the bridge on Sunday to East St. Louis, and the saloons there did a rushing business. Many also refreshed themselves at bars outside the city in St. Louis county. Gov. Folk says he will enforce the law in St. Louis county if he has to call out the militia, but he cannot keep thirsty throngs from crossing to East St. Louis.

The brewers and saloonkeepers, of course, are indignant. They have broken the law so long they feel they have a prescriptive right to. They talk of raising a fund of $1,000,000 with which to carry on the contest before courts and people. They say they will have Mr. Folk's political hide. Mr. Folk is a fighter, and threats and denunciation have no effect upon him except to make him more resolute and pugnacious.

It is questionable, however, if Gov. Folk will have the success in fighting Sunday saloons he has had in fighting boodling. In exposing corruption he had public sentiment with him. In fighting Sunday saloons he has the sentiment of a large percentage of the population against him. Folk is a determined man; but the men who have been in the habit all their lives of drinking beer on Sunday and see no harm in it are determined, too. To enforce the laws he will have to exercise tireless vigilance and do incessant battle throughout his four years' term, and even if he succeed, which is doubtful, he must expect as soon as he is out of office to see his work undone.

Meantime the people of the entire country will watch the struggle with interest, and the thirsty citizens of St. Louis will make their weekly pilgrimages to East St. Louis and return cheered, or it may be inebriated.

STEAM ferryboats should be able to do a good business at St. Louis one day in the week.

THIS is a large country, with a great deal more wheat hidden away in old corners than you know anything about until you try to buy it all.

THE postoffice will be moved to its new quarters in the federal building Sep. 2, e. and o. e.

SOME men who are connected with great fiduciary institutions merely rob them. Others wreck them.

WHEAT, not satisfied with what it has done already, keeps on slumping.

HOWEVER, Mr. La Follette may have to take a reef in his pompadour when he encounters the United States senate.

PLUCKY Mr. Hyde is ready to demonstrate that he can bring forward as many damaging facts as the other fellows can.

IT will be expected of municipal ownership that it make the grade crossing horror a little less horrible.

THE wise citizen who has to move is moving now and avoiding the crush. But he isn't avoiding the breakage.

THEY are talking again down south of burning the cotton. Let them hold their cotton and plant more corn.

EVEN the most ardent temperance man does not want to see Niagara Falls become a dry town.

AFTER awhile, if this sort of thing keeps on, John W. Gates will be a regular upas tree of finance.

CORNERING the visible supply of bears in Colorado appears to be a strenuous job.

MR. COMERFORD is a young man. He can afford to wait—and it looks as if he might have to wait.

DOWIE'S sojourn in Mexico has made no perceptible difference in his temper.

MR. GATES has been assisting, in his way, to make Milwaukee otherwise famous.

THE open car is not really needed. There is always some man who furnishes you plenty of fresh air by opening a window just ahead of you.

DO BOSTON'S baseball champions think there is more distinction in being at the foot of the percentage column?

A STORY is on its rounds to the effect that a Denver man who lost a leg by amputation is growing another leg in its place. Try to believe it. It is an earnest endeavor on the part of Denver to change the character of the news from that place.

AMONG the great reforms of the future the public hopes to welcome a safe and sane moving day.

THE corporations that are trying to grab Niagara falls seem already to have their hands full.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Boyhood of Great Men.

One fine day in the summer of 1844 two 10 year old boys who had been fishing in a stream near a little town in southern New York became hungry and went to a farmer's house to get something to eat.

The farmer's wife gave them a bountiful supply of bread and milk, and refused to take any pay for it.

One of the boys merely said:

"Thank you, ma'am."

But the other wiped his mouth on his coat sleeve, bowed, and expressed his gratitude at greater length.

"To say that you have conferred a great favor upon us, madam," he said, "and that we are correspondingly grateful, conveys the idea feebly. Here we were, miles from home, and suffering from hunger, having caught nothing in the little stream in which we were fishing. You have supplied our wants most generously. Out of the abundance of your larder you have ministered to the wants of two hungry strangers, and with a hospitality rare indeed in these days of sordid greed you have refused to accept any remuneration for the same. It is scarcely necessary to assure you, madam, that we shall always hold you in grateful remembrance, and should it ever be in our power to requite the favor you may depend upon our doing so with the liveliest satisfaction. Madam, we thank you."

"Good land, little boy!" exclaimed the farmer's wife, "what I done for you wasn't worth all that, but I like to hear you talk. You'll be a big man some day."

Her foresight was unerring. The boy grew up to be Chauncey Mitchell Depew, the greatest after dinner orator of his day.

His Righteous Kick.

"A woman in this town," says the Hickory Ridge Missourian, "whose husband owes us $9.75 on subscription, had the swellest hat that was seen at church last Sunday, while our wife had to make a new hat by turning her old one inside out and putting on 25 cents' worth of trimming she bought at a remnant counter. It is such things as these, brethren, that cause the iron to enter our soul and make us regret that we spoiled a promising career as an auctioneer by becoming an editor in this durned town."

Never Really Tried It.

Visitor—"Doesn't it cost a great deal to live in a city like this?"

Haggard Dyspeptic—"I suppose it does. My doctors never have allowed me to live here. I merely exist here."

Single and Double.

"This," said the man who was showing the stranger around the city, as he pointed to a broad stretch of beach, "belongs to old Bigspud. It's all made land. That's his house, back there on the left."

"Is that on made land, too?" asked the stranger.

"No; that's on married land. He got it with his wife."

C. W. T.

Dogs with Eyeglasses.

[From the New York Sun.]

"Goggles for dogs?" echoed the dealer in motoring supplies. "Yes, we keep them and sell quite a few, but generally they are made to order. You see, there is such a difference in the shapes of dog noses. Some are broad and flat, and others are sharp and pointed. The woman who goes in heavily for motoring, record breaking runs, and long trips is seldom a buyer of goggles for her dog. But the woman who puts her dog ahead of the sport, who rides in an electric landau in leisurely fashion through the park or on the drive, is the one who insists upon her lap dog wearing goggles. It is a fad, nothing else."

East St. Louis Is "Open."

The game of "bridge" has struck St. Louis, and most of the citizens of that town now put in their Sundays playing it.—Kansas City Journal.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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HAD King Leopold any inkling of the existence of the amazing Bonaparte conspiracy just brought to light when last winter he so strongly opposed the projected marriage of his daughter, Princess Clementine, to the Bonapartist pretender, Prince Victor? That is a question which people are asking, not only in Paris, but also in every capital of Europe.

One thing is certain—the discovery of the plot took the French government completely by surprise, so much so, indeed, that at first the authorities at Paris were disposed to look upon the entire affair as a hoax. It was only when they ascertained that a number of members of the chamber of deputies were implicated in the affair, as well as officers and soldiers of the Paris garrison, that some of the most famous generals of the army were involved, that the conspirators were provided with almost unlimited means, and that all the plans had been perfected for the seizure of the president at the Elysée, of the senate, of the chamber of deputies, of the various ministers, and of the governor of Paris, in conformity with a plan analagous in many respects with that by means of which the third Napoleon obtained the throne of France, that the government became alive to the seriousness of the danger which it had escaped by the betrayal of the plotters.

Of course Prince Victor has issued a sort of disclaimer, and has declared himself "absolutely foreign" to the conspiracy. This does not prevent, however, the fact that the leaders and financial backers of the aborted coup d'état are among his most intimate friends and trusted advisers, and under the circumstances no one need be astonished if the French government lodges a formal complaint against the prince of conspiring on Belgian soil against the republic, which would furnish King Leopold with a by no means unwelcome opportunity of expelling the pretender from the kingdom on the ground that he had abused the hospitality of Belgium. This would prove the most effective manner of preventing Princess Clementine, who is now returning to Brussels, from holding any further intercourse with Victor.

Lord Stanhope, whose death has just taken place in England, was a brother of the Hon. Philip Stanhope, who was in this country last year, at the head of the English delegation to the international parliamentary congress at St. Louis, and the earl will be chiefly remembered in the United States in connection with his vigorous opposition to the action of the English government in restoring to the American people the log of the Mayflower.

After this it will hardly be necessary to add that he was not a descendant of the great Earl Chatham, and that there is no truth in the story frequently printed to the effect that he was the nearest surviving kinsman of England's famous premier, William Pitt. His great grandfather, the third earl of Stanhope, an avowed and ardent republican, and a friend of Robespierre, married Lord Chatham's daughter—that is to say, William Pitt's sister—and of this marriage the eccentric Lady Hester Stanhope, favorite niece and housekeeper of Pitt, fiancée of Gen. Sir John Moore, the victor of Corunna, and the heroine of so many fantastic romances, was the offspring. She died, it may be remembered, in the most mysterious fashion in Palestine as the wife of an Arab sheik. After the death of her mother, her father—that is to say, the third earl of Stanhope—married again, and the present lord, as well as the Hon. Philip Stanhope, are the lineal descendants of this second marriage.

The fourth Earl Stanhope was the father of the late duchess of Cleveland, grandfather, therefore, of Lord Rosebery, and the patron and champion of that extraordinary and mysterious creature known as Caspar Hauser, whom he declared to be in reality the kidnaped son of Grand Duchess Stephanie of Baden, and the lawful heir, therefore, to the throne of Baden. Caspar Hauser, it may be recalled, was murdered in a manner as mysterious as the circumstances of his discovery, just, too, at the moment when Lord Stanhope had made all the preparations to inaugurate the fight in behalf of his rights.

Those who, like Lord Stanhope, believed in Casper Hauser were convinced that the same agencies were responsible for his assassination as those which had stolen him from his cradle when a child, leaving in his place a dying infant afflicted with an incurable disease. Grand Duchess Stephanie was a Roman Catholic, and her daughters and her only son belonged to the same faith. If the latter had lived to ascend the throne the monarchy would have been Catholic and philo-French, the Grand Duchess Stephanie being an adopted daughter of the First Napoleon. The disappearance of the boy brought to the throne the Lutheran and pro-German branch of the family, and there are those who declare that the misfortunes which have ever since so relentlessly pursued the now reigning house of Baden, including the insanity of the present grand duke's elder brother, the almost total blindness of the popular grand duchess, the consumption and childlessness of their only son, and the broken health of their daughter, the crown princess of Sweden, are all due to the means by which the throne was secured for this branch of the house of Baden, the whole of which threatens to become extinct, at any rate in the main line, in another generation.

The new Lord Stanhope is a soldier by profession, served in South Africa as Lord Mahon, is still unmarried, owns about 12,000 acres in the most beautiful part of Kent, as well as a fine old country place known as Chevening, and promises to prove a worthy member of that historic and influential house of Stanhope, which possesses so many honors, including the earldom of Chesterfield and of Harrington.

Sir George Goldie, the new president of the Royal Geographical society, has often visited this country and is one of the most remarkable Englishmen now living, sharing, as he does, with Cecil Rhodes, Lord Kitchener, and Warren Hastings, the distinction of having been one of the builders of the British empire. It is to him that England is indebted for the addition to her colonial dependencies of all that immense portion of West Africa known as Nigeria, comprising about a million square miles, with a population of some 30,000,000. A quarter of a century ago all that portion of equatorial Africa was virtually closed to trade and civilization. Realizing its vast commercial possibilities, Sir George founded a company to which eventually a royal charter was granted, and by means of this secured possession of Nigeria for England in the face of the strenuous opposition of both Gambetta and Bismarck. He established a system of government which was as enlightened as successful, being absolutely independent of all assistance from the imperial authorities, and the entire waterway of the great river Niger was by him brought under the British flag and opened up to the trade of the world.

About eight years ago Sir George and his company, with a view of averting the complications to which a private company, even when royally chartered, is exposed at the hands of foreign governments, transferred the entire territory to the British crown, much in the same way that India was turned over by the chartered East India company to the crown just about fifty years ago.

Unlike Cecil Rhodes, Sir George never gave the slightest trouble to the home authorities. There was never a breath of scandal connected with the Niger Chartered company, and, while there are shadows that darkened the good name as well as the empire building methods of the late Cecil Rhodes and of Warren Hastings, there are none to tarnish the brilliancy of the reputation of Sir George Taubman Goldie.

Sir George, an old engineer officer, is of mixed Scotch and Manx origin. The Taubmans are an ancient family of the isle of Man, whereas the Goldies are of an equally old and blue blooded Dumfriesshire house. At the beginning of the nineteenth century Gen. Alexander Goldie married the only child and heiress of Maj. Taubman of the Nunnery, Douglas, isle of Man, and from that time forth the head of the Goldie family has invariably borne the name of Taubman in addition to his own patronymic.

The crown has been singularly close fisted in its recognition of the services of Sir George. For whereas it grants baronetcies and even peerages for mere contributions to electoral campaign funds it has contented itself with giving Sir George a seat in the privy council, and not the first class, but merely the second class of the order of St. Michael and St. George.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

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"And are we so soon forgotten?"—Rip Van Winkle.

Now softly falls the curtain; he has played
His final part upon the stage of life—
Aye, with the breath of fancy he has made
The hollow words of mimic peace or strife
Leap into being and be clothed with grace
Until with him we loved and grieved and laughed,
And echoed the expression of his face,
And marveled at his oneness with his craft.

But now the lights have faded; and the dark
Shuts in about him, as when draperies
Fold gently on the vision, thus to mark
The closing of a drama that one sees;
The music sobs to silence, and the play—
The little play of living—is at end;
And now we may but wonder of the way
His feet, unwearied in the journey, wend.

What though he goes, when he has left behind
A treasure trove of sentiment and quip,
Of song and story always blithely kind—
Has left us gentle Caleb, Bob, and Rip?
These people of his fancy—how they live!
Not figures, but the men that he gave breath—
This is the legacy 'twas his to give
Ere he must heed the curtain bell of Death.

Now softly falls the curtain at the close,
And stillness comes where laughter once held away,
And darkness falters in to dim the glows
Of lights that flashed a frame that wreathed the play.
So soon forgotten? Not while smile and song
And hearty cheer in this man's art are met.
They have the life that makes them hold us long.
So soon forgotten? We cannot forget!

W. D. N.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

THE PROUD LAIRD.

A Canny Comedy in Three Acts,
BY
COSMO HAMILTON and CHARLES CARTWRIGHT,

Produced at the Manhattan Theater, New York, April 24, 1905. The Cast:

The Invermorach.....Robert Loraine
Clunie Invermorach, his cousin.....
.....H. Hassard Short
Sir James Gupworthy, his brother-in-law
.....J. H. Bunny
Ninian Gupworthy, his nephew.....
.....Thomas H. Thorne
Duncan Blair, his factor.....Edmund D. Lyons
Dugald McGlusty, his piper.....W. H. Denny
The Lady of Invermorach, his mother.....
.....Ida Vernon
Lady Gupworthy, his sister.....Adelyn Wesley
Miss Elspeth Invermorach, his sister.....
.....Elspeth McNeill
Miss Jean Invermorach, his cousin.....
.....Lucy Spencer
Valerie Van Beuren, his fate.Dorothy Donnelly

New York, April 24.—[Special.]—"The Proud Laird," with which the Manhattan opened tonight for a "supplemental season," was so picturesquely staged and admirably acted and it endeavors so amiably and innocently to be amusing in a politely worldwise way, it is a hardship not to be able to record a more favorable impression of it, or chronicle a more enthusiastic reception. Much might be said of the defective technique with which the main story is told, and more of the conventional artificiality of much of the character drawing. But it is enough to come to the point that not for a moment is it alive.

Any deeply vital conviction one does not demand from such a piece. The program calls it a canny comedy, which, it must be concluded, as the authors seem to be Scotchmen, is a way of saying it is a farce. As far as it exhibits the foibles and eccentricities of the Scotch character it is written in the school of Barrie, and as far as it portrays English obtuseness, selfishness, and amenity it is written in the school of Gilbert. But this particular school is a grammar school and of the third or fourth grade at that.

The best of the evening was the stage management and the acting. Much mild amusement was derived from the bagpipes and bare legs of the eavesdropping retainers and the driblets of water that descend on the actors from a much discussed roof. If there had been any vitality in the plot and characters it would be advisable to praise the production for the unusual suggestiveness of atmosphere.

As the heavy but sincere and impassioned laird Robert Loraine, strikingly handsome, acts with real force and gravity of port, which is the true vein of comedy.

Miss Dorothy Donnelly makes little of the unsubstantial part of the American heiress.

SERGEANT BRUE,

A Musical Farce in Three Acts,
BY
OWEN HALL and LIZA LEHMAN,

Produced at the Knickerbocker theater in New York, April 24, 1905. The Cast:

Sergeant Brue, of the C. Division.....
.....Frank Daniels
Michael Brue, his son.....Alfred Hickman
Aurora Brue, his daughter.....Sallie Fisher
Daisy, a servant.....Clara Belle Jerome
Mabel Widgett.....Annie Fitzhugh
Geraldine Treeherne.....Walter Percival
Matthew Habblshom, a lawyer..Nace Bonville
Inspector Gorringe, of the C Division.....
.....James Reany
The Rev. John Lamb (Charity Jim).....
.....Lawrence Wheat
Captain Bay (Radium Jack)...David Bennett
Percy Proctor.....George Lestoq
Haddon Wallis.....Alfred Fitzroy
Crookie Scrubbs, a criminal.Harry McDonough
Lady Bickenhall .....Blanche Ring

New York, April 24.—[Special.]—Frank Daniels and his gifted eyebrows brought a new musical, farcical, theatrical entertainment, entitled "Sergeant Brue," to town this evening and won for it the unqualified approval of the audience that filled the Knickerbocker theater.

The excuse for the collection of amusing songs and graceful pictures which the Daniels company presents is a London bobby, whose rich brother bequeaths him $10,000 a year on the condition that he win the inspectorship of the metropolitan police. To aid the giant Daniels into and out of the difficulties a company consisting of competent musical comedy artists has been collected, and their efforts are enthusiastically received.

Among the players are Miss Blanche Ring, who has two catchy songs, "Saturday After Two" and an Irish song in which a large chorus shows to unusual advantage; Harry McDonough, as a thief, who with Lawrence Wheat and David Bennett sings a successful trio of jail life; Walter Percival, Miss Sallie Fisher, who also makes a hit with a song; Alfred Hickman, Clara Belle Jerome, who dances gracefully, and a dozen others who contribute much to the fun. Daniels has made an auspicious opening.

Faversham Scores in The Squawman.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 24.—[Special.]—William Faversham scored a success at the Star theater here tonight in the new play, written for him by Edwin Milton Royle, entitled "The Squawman." The new comedy is in four acts, one being laid in rural England and the others in Wyoming. Mr. Faversham plays a dual rôle, that of Capt. Wynnegate of the English army, who flees to America to save the honor of his cousin, an embezzler of charity funds. As a fugitive Wynnegate assumes the name of Jim Carston and becomes a rancher. In a quarrel with a bad cowboy Jim's life is saved by Nat-U-Rich, an Indian maid, and Jim weds her. Later when Jim is summoned home to assume his title he resolves to take his Indian bride with him. She declines to go and commits suicide, leaving Jim free to marry his cousin, Diana.

NAVAL LESSONS OF PRESENT WAR PROVE VALUE OF BATTLESHIPS ONLY.

Torpedo Boats of Little Use in Naval Combats, as Shown in Port Arthur Blockade—Cruisers Not Yet "Placed"—Togo and Rojestvensky to Win or Lose with Big Ships.

BY RICHARD WEIGHTMAN.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—[Special.]—Current discussion of the relative forces of the Japanese and Russian fleets now supposed to be converging for the purpose of a decisive engagement revives interest in an authorized official statement made public by the navy department early in January last.

This was prepared by one of the ablest officers in the service, and when given to the press was understood as carrying the sanction of the leading naval experts and the entire approval of Secretary Morton. It is especially interesting now since it disposes of one naval arm to which civilian commentators seem to be attaching far too much importance. I refer to the torpedo boat. The paper in question, after a careful and minute analysis of all the losses on both sides, resolved itself into an assertion that only in one instance had either a Russian or a Japanese battleship been seriously injured by a torpedo, and showed that even in that solitary case the victim had been a helpless target for fourteen consecutive days, incapable of motion or resistance, practically disarmed, and hemmed in constantly by Togo's battleships.

Failure of the Torpedo Boat.

This is the statement of the case:

"But the fact remains that not a Russian has been sunk by a torpedo until just recently, when the Sevastopol succumbed to the incessant attacks, it being 'contained' by the Japanese battle fleet and compelled to lie helplessly anchored outside of the harbor, entirely exposed, and with many of its guns landed to aid in the shore defenses.

"The circumstances were, indeed, peculiar. The fleet in Port Arthur had been destroyed by gun fire, the Japanese having occupied a hill which allowed them to deliver a direct fire on it with siege and naval guns. The Sevastopol was moved to the outer roadstead, and, hemmed in by Togo's battleships, anchored under the Tiger's tail forts, protecting itself by a boom defense and nets of other vessels lost. This defense withstood continuous night attacks by Japanese destroyers and torpedo boats for ten days, when it was finally struck by three torpedoes, and is now beached on the rocks under Golden Hill forts.

"It was a stationary target day and night for two weeks, and it is not known how many attacks were delivered against it, but a probably low estimate of the number of torpedoes fired would be 150. The Japanese suffered severely in the attacks and lost two destroyers and some of the smaller torpedo boats."

Fail Even in Surprise Attack.

Even on the occasion of the surprise attack on the Russian fleet during the night of Feb. 9, 1904, when the vessels were lying at anchor and huddled together in the outer roadstead of Port Arthur—an ideal target for torpedoes—the result was limited to a temporary disabling of three warships.

The Russians were not expecting attack—war was declared by Japan next day—they were powerless, unable to offer the slightest resistance; the Japanese torpedo boats employed a ruse which enabled them to choose their position at leisure and in perfect safety; yet, although at least twenty-four torpedoes were launched at close range in a smooth sea and under all the conditions of easy target practice, only three of the missiles took effect and these inflicted nothing in the nature of fatal injury.

Of course, as soon as the Russians got their guns into action the Japanese flotilla withdrew. As we all know, the Russian vessels were repaired in course of time, but the engagement was momentous in that it gave the Japanese the opportunity of securing command of the sea—an advantage which they followed up with astonishing address and have retained ever since.

So much for the torpedo up to date. It has been shown to be impotent against warships of any class in daylight and in motion. When the Variag came out of Chemulpo to be destroyed, it was the Japanese battleship which achieved the consummation. The giant cruisers Rurik, Gromobol, and Rossia of the Vladivostok fleet were disabled—the Rurik permanently and completely—by Kamimura's gun fire, and not by the torpedo boats.

Cruisers Not Yet Placed.

The inevitable inference from this grouping and analysis of actual events is that the approaching combat will be decided by battleships, and that torpedoes will cut no figure whatsoever. Even in the case of cruisers, armored, protected, or otherwise, it seems safe to assume that their function will be of slight importance until the issue shall have been decided. They will then be valuable in completing the work of the victor. It is true they have not been definitely "placed" in this war, for the official document thus disposes of them:

"To the chagrin of students of the game of naval warfare this war has afforded no field for the discussion of cruisers. The armored cruisers of the two fleets have simply been mutually pitted one against the other. 'Protected' cruisers, whose sole sphere in military operations has of late years been admitted to be restricted to extended sea scouting, have been barred from that service by the localized character of the operations, the smaller craft, with their wireless telegraph systems, being on constant sentry duty off Port Arthur and notifying Admiral Togo of any intended sortie.

"Vessels of all types were present in both fleet actions, but the attention of both sides appears to have been devoted exclusively to crippling each other's battleships. Nor have there been any individual actions between unarmored ships other than the destruction of the gallant little Novik by the Chitose and Tsushima. The Variag, upon issuing from Chemulpo, was, of course, immediately crushed by the overwhelming force confronting it. The other Russian cruisers were of occasional assistance in driving off the enemy's torpedo boats or executing their own, but rarely has the name of any such vessel caused occasion for mention in either official or press reports."

Effectiveness of Land Batteries.

It may be said that Dewey smashed the Spanish fleet, together with the forts in Manila harbor, one May morning seven years ago, though he didn't have a battleship to his name. That is indisputable. Furthermore, if there be one proposition in modern naval warfare upon which all competent critics agree it is that even the most powerful of battleships counts for little against a thoroughly equipped land battery.

In the course of our operations in Cuban waters Admiral Sampson was careful to keep at a respectful distance from the Spanish defenses. The record shows that our battleships never went within range of the Havana batteries or even those of the decrepit Morro at Santiago. All of which, no doubt, was wise and wholly scientific.

It will not do, however, to base any general theories upon what Dewey did in the Philippines. He is, as the French say, hors de concours—like Nelson and John Paul Jones. The facts as they are now presented to us justify the conclusion that Togo and Rojestvensky will settle their differences with battleships; that the torpedo boat does not count at all; that the cruiser is an unknown quantity which neither commander will exploit at serious risk.

It seems that the Russians have a stronger armament, estimated by this standard. It is generally conceded that the Japanese have a notable advantage in the matter of personnel. Certainly they have exhibited the most brilliant qualities thus far, and, as their adversaries have been distinguished by nothing but misfortune and futility, it is only reasonable to suppose that Togo is at least on equal terms with Rojestvensky so far as concerns material efficiency.

How They Are Matched.

In dismissing the torpedo from the equation, therefore, and in setting aside the cruiser as a mysterious and incalculable ingredient, we obtain a fairly satisfactory basis of speculation. Rojestvensky has a stronger force, appraised as mere metal. Togo, so far as reasonable hypothesis is concerned, has superior personnel, the advantage of practical training, the prestige of great achievement, and the inspiration of an astounding homogeneity and esprit.

Free hand forecast is easy—within reach of the humblest oracle. This, however, seems to be the situation.

Apollo Club Concert.

"Noblesse oblige!"

The Apollo club occupies a foremost place among the musical nobility of Chicago. And its nobility imposes obligations. It has fulfilled these obligations admirably in the past, for it has stood always for that which is best and highest in choral art. Last night added another obligation which the club must take upon itself. It is an obligation the assuming of which should be a deed of joyfulness and of beauty to all concerned. The obligation is the making of a permanent place in the club's repertory for Brahms' "German Requiem."

The musical management should see to it that once every year hereafter this masterpiece is accorded a performance. It should be repeated until the public becomes as familiar with it and as appreciative of its countless beauties as of the "Messiah" of Handel and all it contains. This suggestion is prompted by no fanatical enthusiasm for the composer Brahms.

There is admiration, sincere and deep, for the great German and for the priceless treasure he added to music's vast store, but this admiration does not blind to the fact that there is a large amount of his music which is not for the general public of today. But the "Requiem"—his masterpiece—is a work which the public needs only to know in order to love it. The familiarizing will not take long.

The majority of those persons who heard the stupendous composition at the concert in Orchestra hall last evening certainly would welcome an opportunity to enjoy again the pleasure the performance gave. And a second hearing could but bring increase of admiration and a stronger wish to know still more of the work. It is believed that in three seasons the Apollos would have as regular and ever increasing a following for the "Requiem" as they now have for the "Messiah." And it will be a number in their repertory which can be handled without inconvenience to the musical scheme of their regular season.

Being a short work it can be combined with some cantata of similar size and presented at the "popular oratorio" concert of the season. For the "Requ

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W. L. HUBBARD.

STOLEN PAPERS ARE RECOVERED.

Strong Box Containing Etna Company Vouchers Found in House of Negro.

HE SEEKS THE REWARD.

More Witnesses Summoned to Testify as to Casing Trade of the Beef Trust.

The strong box containing the papers of the Etna Trading company, which were stolen from the residence of Gustav Freund, 4407 Michigan avenue, one of the members of the firm, last Wednesday night, was discovered yesterday afternoon in the residence of Willis Heron, 2828 Dearborn street, by Detective B. J. Burn of Inspector Hunt's office.

Secret service men from Capt. Porter's office had been detailed on the case, but when they asked that the papers be delivered to the government they were informed that they had been given to Clarence L. Coleman, son-in-law of Mr. Freund and Chicago manager of the S. Oppenheimer company, 440 Wabash avenue, of which Mr. Freund is resident partner. Mr. Freund is out of the city.

An impounding order in all probability will be asked today by the government, so the box can be taken before the grand jury.

Hears Noise in Chicken Coop.

The story told by Heron, who is a negro, is as follows:

"Early Wednesday morning I was awakened by a sound in my chicken coop. I went to the door and saw three men. They were whispering together, and one of them carried something under his arm which looked like a pillow. Later it turned out to be the box taken from the Freund residence.

"I had just moved into the house in Dearborn street from 2919 Armour avenue. I heard one of the men say:

"'Let's go in here,' pointing to my chicken coop. 'No one lives here.' 'Yes,' answered another. 'A man moved in here today.'

"So they went away. I followed them to the Lake Shore railroad tracks. Under a viaduct they took a coupling pin and broke the box open. They saw that only papers were in the box, and, after looking them over carelessly, they scattered them over the tracks and went away. I picked the papers up and kept them until I saw the offer of a reward."

New Witnesses to Be Heard.

With the examination of Isadore Heller, of the firm of Wolf, Sayer & Heller of New York, Chicago, and Wellington, New Zealand, the government in the morning dismissed for a time the inquiry into the "casing trust." New witnesses will be summoned and the combine that existed in that industry will be thoroughly sifted. When the hearing of testimony is resumed these new witnesses will be heard:

G. Hunnerford of G. Hunnerford & Co., Forty-third and Wallace streets, the largest independent casing concern in Chicago.

George Turner of New York. Turner in 1899 was engaged in the manufacture of tennis and music strings which are made from sheep casings. He left on account of being unable to get raw material.

In the general beef inquiry these new witnesses have been summoned:

John Cook, head of the traffic department of Armour & Co.

L. V. Bergenthal, chief clerk in the traffic department for Armour & Co.

Ted S. Moog, general manager of the wholesale meats for Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company.

J. A. Penson, superintendent of the canning department of Armour & Co.

James H. Sheldon, superintendent of the hog killing department of S. & S. company.

Stenographer Offers to Testify.

A new feature was added to the investigation when Mrs. Mary E. Marcey, recently employed in the Kansas City offices of Swift & Co. and Armour & Co. as a stenographer, appeared in District Attorney Morrison's office and volunteered the information she had secured through her position.

What this evidence is or whether she will be called before the grand jury Mr. Morrison refused to disclose, but it is admitted that the evidence is of some importance.

The wives of two of the missing witnesses appeared in the district attorney's office and urged the government attorneys that their husbands are about to return to Chicago. They were Mrs. Richard W. Howes, wife of a department manager for Swift & Co., and Mrs. Irving A. Vant, wife of the assistant treasurer for Swift & Co. It is understood that Vant and Howes are in Canada.

The grand jury will take a few days' vacation from the investigation, beginning Thursday, according to the announcement of Mr. Morrison last night. On that day the routine cases which have been accumulating will be taken before that body and disposed of.

FACTIONAL FIGHT IN D. A. R.

Two Candidates for Regency and Their Followers Accuse Each Other.

When the Daughters of the American Revolution throng into the dining room of the Chicago Woman's club at the close of the meeting of their study class this noon they will find trouble brewing as well as tea. In one ear some one will whisper:

"You're going to vote for Mrs. Becker, aren't you?"

And in the other ear some one else will whisper:

"Vote for Mrs. Hall and break the machine."

It was announced yesterday by a member that the much vaunted harmony in the Chicago chapter had been destroyed "ruthlessly." As the story goes, all was "peaceful" and "harmonious" until the directors of the chapter elected Mrs. Herman J. Hall as vice regent to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Mrs. Henry C. Lytton to the regency.

In her speech of acceptance at the last meeting Mrs. Hall is accused of having made a political talk, announcing her own candidacy for the office of regent.

TWO SISTERS ACT STRANGELY.

Maria and Johanna Valentine to Be Examined as to Their Mental Condition.

Maria Augusta Valentine, 41 years old, and her sister, Johanna Valentine, 39 years old, were taken in custody by policemen of the Deering street station at 1017 Thirty-fifth street, last evening. Their actions in the street in front of this building were strange. They will be held until this morning, when they will be examined by physicians. At the station they told the police to notify Mrs. Amelia Seebert, 409 California avenue, or the Rev. Mr. Brookhouse, living near Wentworth avenue and Twenty-third street. Policemen were sent to the addresses, but failed to find either person. The women are well educated and of refined appearance. The police believe they are strangers in Chicago.

BATE MURDER CLEW IS FALSE.

Eddie Slavin Declares Suspect Is Not the Man Who Hired Automobile.

After another futile trip in search of the murderer of William Bate, the chauffeur who was found dead on the Lemont road last November, "Eddie" Slavin, the telephone operator at the Auditorium, and Detective McGrath, are on their way back to Chicago. The man who was suspected, Slavin declared, was not the man who gave him the order for the automobile the night Bate was shot. Slavin has made trips to various parts of the country with detectives. He is the only person who could identify the man who rented the automobile.

ANGERS THE CLUB WOMEN

CHICAGO COTERIE STIRRED BY CLEVELAND'S CRITICISM.

Use Long Harsh Sounding Adjectives in Expressing Their Contempt of the Former President's Views as Expressed in Published Article—Mrs. F. W. Becker Says He Would Do Better Writing a Treatise on Ducks than Side Talks with Girls.

Should Grover Cleveland come to Chicago he would not be received with much warmth by the 30,000 club women. Feminine admirers of the former president "went back" on him yesterday and resorted to long, harsh sounding adjectives and cruel "knocks" in giving voice to their contempt of his views on the woman's club, as expressed in an article in the Ladies' Home Journal.

"He would do better to write a treatise on ducks," declared Mrs. F. W. Becker, "than attempt to write side talks with girls."

"Grover evidently doesn't intend to run for president again," was the comment of Mrs. Frederick K. Bowes. "If he did he would not be so reckless about the friendship of the club women."

"He has got the serious minded club woman confused with the bridge whist devotee," declared Mrs. Elwood MacGrew.

Call It "Presidential Libel."

Club women gathered in groups in the rooms of the Chicago Woman's club to discuss the attack made upon them by the former president. All vigorously defended the club against what they characterized as the "presidential libel."

"The woman's club is the greatest educator I know of," declared Mrs. George Benedict Carpenter, president of the Chicago Woman's club. "It teaches the woman homemaking and is not destructive of the home spirit."

Mrs. John D. Sherman, secretary of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs, the organization especially attacked by the former president, said:

"Mr. Cleveland's observation of the woman's club and its work probably has been so limited that he has overlooked the good work accomplished and based his opinion upon a few clubs which are under the high standard maintained by the majority. The club makes the true club woman a better wife, a better mother. The club makes a better American home."

Mrs. James Frake, president of the Illinois Federation of Woman's Clubs, believed Mr. Cleveland should be excused on the ground of ignorance of his subject.

JOSEPH JEFFERSON'S MEMORY IS HONORED BY CLEVELAND.

Former President, Deeply Affected by Death of His Long Time Friend, Praises His Character and Work.

Princeton, N. J., April 24.—Former President Grover Cleveland today paid a tribute to Joseph Jefferson, who died Sunday evening at West Palm Beach. Mr. Cleveland seemed deeply affected.

"It is difficult for me to speak of Mr. Jefferson. He was closely my friend, his delightful traits were made so manifest to me in confidential intimacy, and my love for him was so great that his death caused me to feel like a mourner whose sorrow should be silent.

"All knew my friend's professional supremacy and his conscientious service in professional work; many knew how zealously he defended dramatic art and how completely he illustrated the importance of its cleanliness; many knew how free he was from hatred, malice, and all uncharitableness, but fewer knew how harmoniously his qualities of heart and mind and conscience blended in the creation of an honest, upright, sincere, and God fearing man.

"I believe that in death he has reached a world where the mercy of God abounds; and I know that in the world of men the sadness of his loss will be felt the most by those who knew him best."

Grief Over Death Is General.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 24.—Thousands of messages of condolence from relatives and friends all over the world were received by the family of Joseph Jefferson today.

President Flagler and Vice President Parrott of the East Coast railway have ordered cars here for the use of the Jefferson family in their trip north with the body.

Flags are at half mast and West Palm Beach is hung with crêpe. The board of aldermen of the town has passed resolutions of condolence and respect.

ROBBERS' VICTIM MAY RECOVER.

Hyde Park Citizens Offer $1,000 Reward for Arrest of University Student's Assailants.

Failure of blood poison to manifest itself in the wound inflicted by holdup men early yesterday morning leads the doctors at the Chicago hospital to hope for the recovery of Albert W. Shearer. There was a change for the better in his condition yesterday.

Hyde Park residents have raised a fund of $1,000 to encourage the arrest and conviction of the highwaymen who held up, robbed, and shot young Shearer, who is a student at the University of Chicago. A draft for that amount has been placed in the hands of Inspector Nicholas Hunt.

"I have detailed my best men to trace the robbers," said Inspector Hunt. "I hope to have them arrested soon."

Newsboys' Home Directors to Meet.

The annual meeting of the Newsboys and Bootblacks' association will be held on May 3, at the home, 1418 Wabash avenue, at 7:30 p. m. The directors will meet an hour later to elect officers.

Honest Confession

A Doctor's Talk on Food.

below.

There are no fairer set of men on earth than the doctors, and when they find they have been in error they are usually apt to make honest and manly confession of the fact.

A case in point is that of an eminent practitioner, one of the good old school, who lives in Texas. His plain, unvarnished tale needs no dressing up:

"I had always had an intense prejudice, which I can now see was unwarrantable and unreasonable, against all muchly advertised foods. Hence, I never read a line of the many 'ads.' of Grape-Nuts, nor tested the food till last winter.

"While in Corpus Christi for my health, and visiting my youngest son, who has four of the ruddiest, healthiest little boys I ever saw, I ate my first dish of Grape-Nuts food for supper with my little grandsons. I became exceedingly fond of it and have eaten a package of it every week since, and find it a delicious, refreshing and strengthening food, leaving no ill effects whatever, causing no eructations (with which I was formerly much troubled), no sense of fullness, nausea, nor distress of stomach in any way.

"There is no other food that agrees with me so well, or sits as lightly or pleasantly upon my stomach as this does. I am stronger and more active since I began the use of Grape-Nuts than I have been for 10 years, and am no longer troubled with nausea and indigestion." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Look in each pkg. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

HOLDS POWER TO FIX FAIR RATES.

Attorney Hines Urges Present Commission Has Authority.

NO RADICAL LAW NEEDED

Measure Already on Statutes Is Ample to Curb Rebate System of the Railroads.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—At the railroad rate hearing before the senate committee on interstate commerce, which was resumed today, Walker D. Hines, formerly of the Louisville and Nashville, argued that the present commission had ample power to fix what he termed unlawful transportation charges, but not to interfere in legitimate schedules. He declared that an opposite impression was due largely to declarations by members of the commission. In the course of his statement Mr. Hines said:

"Practically the whole demand for giving the commission the rate making power rests upon the assumption that at present carriers can charge what rates they please without any power anywhere to control them. This has been shown to be utterly erroneous. There is ample power under the present law to correct every unlawful rate.

Used Rate Making Power.

"It is claimed that for ten years the commission exercised without question this rate making power, and the results were beneficial and not injurious to the carriers. President Roosevelt assumed this to be true in his message for 1901, but the fact is that continuously from the outset both the carriers and the courts disputed the possession of this power by the commission.

"By far the most potent influence in behalf of the rate making power is the almost universal belief that that power is necessary to cure secret rebates, which have been by all odds the greatest cause of dissatisfaction with railroad management in this country.

"This is the only specific evil referred to by the president in his message to congress last winter, and the Townsend bill has been spoken of in the press as 'the anti-rebate bill.' Yet neither the ratemaking power nor anything in the Townsend bill has any connection whatever with preventing rebates. Rates made by a commission could and would be secretly departed from just as easily as rates made by the carrier.

"The present law is ample to stop rebates, and nothing whatever in the ratemaking power will help in that direction.

Bill Lacks Rebate Clause.

"Much stress is also placed on the commission's report, which showed an increase of revenue of $155,000,000, and due to advances. The report is grossly inaccurate and unfair. It ignores important reductions in rates, uses incorrect and misleading statistics, and makes wholly untrue statements regarding traffic conditions."

During the discussion of the intent of the present law Senator Cullom, who made the report on which the present law was based, said there was no intention to give the commission the power to fix rates. Nobody believed that power was given to the commission.

Combinations Decrease Rates.

It was necessary at that time to create a body that could get close to the people, find out what they wanted, and to represent them. It would have been impossible for any individual at that time to make a fight against a railroad, for he would be crushed out.

"He could not afford to carry on the suits," remarked Chairman Elkins. "He could not get the money."

Mr. Hines explained that one of the serious results of allowing a commission to fix rates would be that all rates so fixed would be permanent; that when conditions changed which required a change of rates it would be impossible to have the change made because the commission would be so overwhelmed with cases that it could not consider the request.

Combinations of railroads, in the opinion of Mr. Hines, had a tendency to decrease rates. Railroads reached out for business and the struggle for business reduced rates.

"Don't this lead to rebates and discriminations?" asked Senator Cullom.

"Not to rebates, but a reduction of rates," answered Mr. Hines.

Senator Alger Out of Danger.

Detroit, Mich., April 24.—United States Senator R. A. Alger, who was seized with an attack of acute indigestion last night on a Michigan Central train nearing Detroit, and who was taken home from the station in an ambulance, is much better today, although not able to leave his bed. All danger is said to be passed.

NEWS OF THE RAILWAYS.

TRAFFIC MEN CONSIDER ADVISABILITY OF RATE WAR.

Claim of Gulf Roads to All the Advantages Which Their Natural Position Places Within Their Reach Is Opposed by East and West Bound Lines — All Rail Grain Shipments to the East Little Affected by Opening of Lake Navigation.

Upon the deliberations of the meeting of the chief traffic officials of the various roads east of Colorado, which convened in Buffalo yesterday, depends whether there will be a serious rate war between the direct east and west bound lines and the roads running to the gulf of Mexico.

The gulf roads insist that under the provisions of the constitution of the United States, which provides that "no preference shall be given by any regulation of commerce or revenue to the ports of one state over those of another," they are entitled to all the advantages which their natural position places within their reach. The east and west bound lines insist that the gulf lines shall surrender these and place themselves in a position where the traffic of the old established lines shall not be interfered with by the multiplication of facilities which the gulf routes have lately secured.

Effect of Lake Traffic.

The opening of lake navigation thus far has had little effect upon all rail shipments from Chicago to the east. Grain shipments by rail last week were only a few hundred thousand bushels smaller than for the week previous, but there was a decrease of about one-third in the flour shipments. As compared with last year grain shipments show an increase of nearly 1,000,000 bushels. Following is a detailed statement of last week's flour, grain, and provision shipments by the all rail lines from Chicago to the east:

	Flour, brls.	Grain, bus.	Provisions, tons.
Last week	71,204	2,351,000	27,618
Previous week	100,205	2,928,000	24,667
Last year	123,187	1,449,000	27,557

Search for Missing Model.

About two years ago a silver model of a locomotive belonging to President Felton of the Alton mysteriously disappeared from the vault in which it was stored. All efforts made since then to find it have been unavailing, and President Felton has now placed the matter in the hands of Chief of Police O'Neill, who has offered a reward of $100 for the recovery of this engine or information leading to its recovery.

Gould Is Pushing Westward.

Undeterred by obstructive tactics, which Harriman is pursuing to prevent George J. Gould from carrying out his western Pacific project to give his system a direct outlet to the Pacific coast, Mr. Gould appears to be determined to push the enterprise and complete the new roads as soon as possible. A syndicate has just been formed by Blair & Co., William Salomon & Co., and W. A. Read & Co. of New York to underwrite an issue of $50,000,000 5 per cent first mortgage bonds of the Western Pacific railroad. The surveys for the road have been completed, and as soon as the above sum has been secured construction is to begin.

Deal Admitted by Zimmerman.

President Zimmerman of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton now admits that he with his associates has purchased the Ann Arbor railway from the Gould syndicate and says it will be made a part of the Great Central system.

SIGNS OF INCENDIARIES SEEN IN NORTH SIDE FIRES.

Buildings at 335 Superior Street and 24 St. Clair Partly Burned—Oil Soaked Paper Found Blazing.

What the police believe was an attempt by incendiaries to destroy a two story frame building at 335 Superior street was discovered last evening, when an accumulation of paper said to have been saturated with oil was found burning on the second floor.

The building has been unoccupied for several weeks and is owned by Watson Blair, and was damaged about $500 by the flames.

When firemen entered the building they found the burning, oil soaked paper.

The theory that incendiaries are at work on the north side was strengthened when a fire started in the two story frame building owned by William M. Hoyt at 24 St. Clair street. The building was damaged $500.

By-Laws of Society Missing.

Lincoln, Neb., April 24.—State Auditor Searle today stated that the bylaws of the Royal Highlanders, a fraternal order with headquarters at Aurora, Neb., were missing and could not be found. An entry in the minutes shows that the bylaws were filed during the term of former Auditor Weston.

Don't Use Poor Oil.

For use on sewing machines, bicycles, and all purposes requiring a fine lubricant the best is cheapest in the end. Genuine Singer oil can only be obtained at Singer stores.

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

The art and literature department of the Chicago Woman's club gave one of the largest and most elaborate luncheons of the spring season yesterday. It was in commemoration of Shakspeare's birth, and the guest of honor was Miss Viola Allen. The affair took place in Assembly hall, Fine Arts building. Over 200 department members and their guests were present. The tables were beautifully decorated with spring flowers, each in a different color, and between courses there were impomptu remarks by club members.

Mrs. Edward L. Upton acted as chairman of the day, and, after the addresses by club members, introduced Miss Allen, who spoke on general topics relating to Shakspeare, his life and works. After the luncheon a number of guests were presented to Miss Allen.

In memory of the day, a bust of Shakspeare was presented to the department by Mrs. J. C. Shaffer and was given a prominent place on the platform.

Mrs. G. Frank Lydston, 4642 Woodlawn avenue, gave a luncheon yesterday for her daughter, Miss Josephine Elma Lydston, at which twenty young girls were present. The guests sat at one large table, which was decked with pink sweet peas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Lytton, 2700 Prairie avenue, entertained the bridal party of their son, Mr. George Lytton and Miss Marion Schwartz, last evening at a dinner.

The marriage of Miss Lesley M. Haskin to Mr. Harry C. Champlin Jr. will take place Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Haskin, Wilmette. The wedding will be a simple one, only members of the families being invited.

The wedding of Miss Mabel Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt, 209 Lewis street, Hammond, Ind., to Mr. Howard P. Jones will take place tomorrow morning at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. C. A. Smith, rector of the Episcopal church in Hammond will officiate.

The Western association of Wells college will give a luncheon today at the Woman's Athletic club, the guest of honor to be Dr. George Morgan Ward, president of the college.

Miss Louise Gaylord and her uncle, Mr. John J. Mitchell, have gone to California to join Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. J. H. Chew and Miss Chew will spend the summer in Europe, sailing from New York on May 30.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Caldwell and their daughter, Miss Helen Marie Caldwell, 5345 Madison avenue, have returned from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Stayart and their sons, Andrew and Louis Jr., spent Easter in Seattle, having started on their way home from California. They will remain in Seattle for several days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Weber of Capitol Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Conn and daughter, 4228 Prairie avenue, will go to Europe next month for the summer.

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Pastors of Various Denominations Appoint Committee to Arrange Evangelistic Campaign.

Chicago on all sides will be dotted with tents this summer in which will be conducted an evangelistic campaign if a movement started in an interdenominational conference at Association hall is carried to a successful issue. A plan for the tent campaign was adopted and a general committee to supervise the work was named. At the head of this committee Dr. James M. Gray, dean of Moody Biblical institute, was placed. The Rev. Arthur J. Sullens was named secretary.

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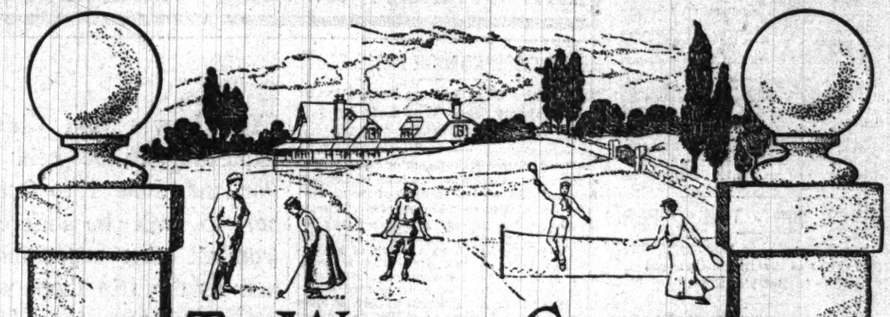

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MUCH SELLING OF STOCK.

NEW YORK MARKET BREAKS UNDER BEAR PRESSURE.

Events Over the Holiday Vacation Cause Fear on Part of Small Holders, and Brokers Get Many Selling Orders in Response to Margin Calls —Bargain Hunters on the Decline Help to Make a Late Reaction in Prices.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, April 24.—[Special.]—A great many shares of stock were dumped into the market today, but buying by bargain hunters and others prevented any great final loss. The heavy decline of Thursday last, since which time trading on the exchange has been suspended, induced a great many calls for additional margin. These calls had brought back many responses ordering the selling out of holdings. Speculative sentiment had been so far shaken by last week's development that no effective support was to be anticipated unless at considerable concessions in prices.

The events of Saturday's wheat market and the abandonment of the May wheat deal bred a belief that these heavy losses would be met by further liquidation in stocks. The pressure centered upon the stocks which have been favorites in the speculation on account of merger stories, Union Pacific leading the railroad list in point of activity and weakness. Northern Pacific's reentry in the market was the signal for sales down to 165, compared with the recently prevailing nominal price of 180 bid.

Thursday's flurry in the call money market to 7 per cent had served to overthrow the conviction that the ease of the money market was incapable of being disturbed. The bank statement published on Saturday during the interval of the trading showed that loans had continued to expand in spite of the liquidation in stocks. The offering today of $25,000,000 of New York City bonds made heavy requirements on the money market. Next month the $100,000,000 Pennsylvania bond subscription, an installment of all but 10 per cent of the Japanese loan, and the withdrawal of an installment of government deposits are to be provided for. Faith in the ability of the money market to meet all these requirements without disturbance is decidedly less than during the period of buoyant advance in prices of stocks. The remarkable rise in the Louisville and Nashville group attracted attention to the published reports of plans for the formation of a great through trunk line from north to south by a combination of existing properties. Those stocks relapsed equally with the rest of the market in the late reaction. Great Northern preferred lost in the day sold at a decline of 20 points from last week, which may have helped to the late reaction.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value, $3,665,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

Money on call firm, 3@4 per cent; closing bid, 3 per cent; offered at 3½ per cent. Time loans slightly firmer; sixty days, 3¼ per cent; ninety days, 3½ per cent; six months, 3½@3¾ per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486.20@486.25 for demand and at 484.40@484.45 for sixty day bills; posted rates, 485@487; commercial bills, 484@484¼. Bar silver, 57; Mexican dollars, 44½. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close—April 24.	Close—April 22.
Allis-Chalm. pfd.	300	16	16	16	16¼	16¾
Do pfd.	200	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
Amal. Copper	175,200	83¾	85¾	82¾	83	83
Am. Agr. Chem.	300	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Am. Car & Fdy.	9,500	39¾	40¾	39¾	40¾	40¾
Do pfd.	1,900	100	100¾	100	100¾	101
Am. Cot. Oil.	300	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Am. Express	200	230	230	230	230	230
Am. Grass	200	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	8
Am. Hide.	300	5	5	5	5	5
Do pfd.	2,500	45¾	46	45¾	46	46
Am. Ice	100	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
Am. Linseed	600	20	20	20	20	20½
Am. Locomotive	25,800	104¾	107¾	104¾	107¾	107¾
Do pfd.	1,200	119	119	118¾	118¾	118¾
Am. Malting.	500	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	7
Do pfd.	1,300	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾	25¾
Am. Steel Fdy.	1,800	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
Do pfd.	1,300	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	63¼
Am. Smelting.	76,000	113¾	117¾	113¾	116¾	116¾
Do pfd.	1,000	106¼	106¼	106¼	106¼	106¼
Am. Sugar.	10,200	140	140	139	139¾	140
Am. Tel. & T.	400	145	145	145	145	145
Am. Tob. pfd.	3,200	94	94	93¾	93¾	94
Am. Woolen.	12,900	87¾	91¾	85¾	86¾	88¾
Anaconda.	3,300	117¾	119¾	117	117	119
Atchison.	16,200	93¾	96¾	93¾	96¾	96¾
Do pfd.	500	102¾	103¾	102	102	103
A. C. Line.	13,100	164¾	175	162¾	167	163¾
B. & O.	1,100	106¾	107¾	106¾	107¾	107
Do pfd.	300	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
B. R. T.	25,900	68	69¾	67¾	68¾	67¾
Balt. & Ohio.	12,400	103¾	104¾	103¾	104¾	104¾
C. of N. W.	100	196¾	196¾	196¾	196¾	196¾
C. & Ohio.	13,800	54	55¾	53¾	55	53
C. Alton.	600	85	85	83	83	83½
C. Gt. W.	5,900	14¾	15¾	14¾	15¾	15¾
Do pfd B.	400	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
C., M. & St. P.	12,500	173¾	178¾	173¾	176¾	173¾
C. & N. W.	200	212	212	212	212	212
Cent. Leather.	200	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	18
Do pfd.	400	92	92	92	92	92
Chi. Un. Trac.	1,000	7¾	8	7¾	8	8
Do pfd.	1,000	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	900	101¾	102	101¾	101¾	101¾
Do pfd.	1,000	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
C. & E. I.	34,900	52¾	53¾	51¾	51¾	53¾
Colo. Fuel.	28,100	43¾	45¾	43¾	45¾	45¾
Do 1st pfd.	600	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½
Do 2d pfd.	1,200	85¾	87	85¾	87	85¾
C. Gt. West.	200	14	14	14	14	14
Con. Gas.	3,800	200	200	199½	200	200
Corn Prod.	1,000	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼
Do pfd.	1,000	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
D. & H.	2,000	188	188	187¾	187¾	188
Del. & R. G. pfd.	500	87	87	87	87	88½
Den. & R. G.	1,000	44¾	45¾	44¾	45¾	45¾
Det. United.	900	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	85
Dis. Sec.	3,900	42¾	42¾	42	42¾	43
Do pfd.	400	15	15	15	15	15
Do pfd.	1,000	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾	51
Elec. Storage.	300	83	83½	83	83	83
Erie.	56,800	40¾	42¾	40¾	42¾	42¾
Do 1st pfd.	2,000	74¾	76¾	74¾	76¾	76¾
Do 2d pfd.	2,100	67¾	68	67	68	67¾
Fed. Mining pfd.	1,500	97¾	99	97¾	99	98¾
Ft. W. & D. C.	100	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
Gen. Elec.	8,100	176¾	179¾	176¾	178¾	180¼
Gt. Nor. pfd.	300	291	291	291	291	291
Havana Elec.	200	15	15	15	15	15
Do pfd.	100	60	60	60	60	60
Hock. Valley.	100	93¼	93¼	93¼	93¼	93¼
Ill. Cent.	7,200	161¾	161¾	159¾	160¾	161¾
Int. Paper.	1,700	21¾	22¾	21¾	22¾	22¾
Do pfd.	200	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Int. Pump pfd.	200	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Int. Steel pfd.	800	54	54	54	54	54
K. C. So.	1,500	36¾	37¾	36¾	37¾	37¾
Do pfd.	2,100	62¾	62¾	62	62¾	62¾
Kniekerbocker.	100	185	185	185	185	185
L. & N.	145,200	148¾	151¾	147¾	150¾	147¾
Manhattan.	200	164¾	164¾	164¾	164¾	164¾
Met. Securities.	9,900	130¾	134¾	128¾	130¾	130¾
Do pfd.	300	116	116	116	116	116
Mex. Cent.	7,500	20¾	21¾	20¾	21¾	21¾
Mex. Nat.	1,300	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Minn. & St. L.	1,500	104	104	102	102	104
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	18,500	104	104	102	102	102¾
Do pfd.	300	130	130	130	130	130
Mo. Pac.	38,000	304¾	309¾	304¾	309¾	309¾
Nat. Biscuit.	1,200	146	147¾	145	146	146
Do pfd.	100	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾
Nat. Lead.	7,100	48¾	49¾	48¾	49	47¾
Nat. R. R. M. pfd.	100	90	90	90	90	90
N. Y. Air Brake.	100	157¾	157¾	157¾	157¾	157
N. Y. Central.	22,100	157¾	161¾	157¾	161¾	161¾
N. Y. C. & St. L.	1,100	49¾	50¾	49¾	50¾	49¾
North. Pac.	800	168	170	165	167	168
Nor. & W.	2,700	87¾	90¾	87¾	90¾	90¾
North Am.	12,900	103¾	104	101	101	103¾
Pac. Coast.	100	91	91	91	91	90¾
Pac. Mail.	2,700	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
Penn.	11,000	141¾	141¾	140	140¾	141¾
P. C. C. & St. L.	1,000	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
P. & East.	1,000	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
Phila. R.	100	125	125	125	125	125
Pitts. Coal.	1,000	18	18	18	18	18
Pressed Steel.	2,000	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
Do pfd.	600	87	87	86¾	86¾	87¾
Pullman.	200	240	240	240	240	241
Ry. Steel Spr.	1,000	37	37	36¾	36¾	37
Do pfd.	200	99¾	100	99¾	99¾	100
Reading.	17,200	94¾	96¾	94¾	96	94¾
Do 1st pfd.	1,000	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
Do 2d pfd.	4,800	78	78¾	76¾	77¾	78¾
Rock Island.	34,100	33	34¾	32¾	34¾	34¾
Do pfd.	2,100	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
Rubber Goods.	6,700	52	52¾	51¾	52¾	52¾
Do pfd.	2,200	106¾	106¾	106	106	106¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	100	67	67	67	67	67
St. L. & S. W.	300	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Do pfd.	1,600	62¾	64	62¾	64	64
Sloss Sheff.	1,600	87¾	88	87	88	90
So. Pac.	31,600	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	66
So. Ry.	3,200	117¾	117¾	117¾	117¾	118
Do pfd.	200	96	96	96	96	96
Stand. Rope.	100	34	34	33¾	33¾	33¾
Tenn. Coal.	15,000	94	96	94	95	97
Tex. Pac.	2,000	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Tol. St. L. & W.	1,200	33¾	34¾	33¾	34¾	34¾
Do pfd.	600	68¾	69	68¾	69	69
Twin City.	9,200	114¾	114¾	112	113¾	114¾
Union Pac.	9,100	134	134	134	134	134
Un. Bag.	1,400	12	12¾	12¼	12¾	12¾
Do pfd.	100	76	76	76	76	77
Un. Pac.	178,500	126	126¾	123¾	125¾	127
Do pfd.	200	100	100	100	100	100
United Inv.	100	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
Do pfd.	100	83	83	83	83	83
U. S. Ffge.	2,500	44¾	45¾	44¾	45¾	45¾
Do pfd.	1,300	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
U. S. Express.	200	127	128	127	128	128
U. S. Leather.	1,400	7¾	8	7¾	7¾	7¾
Do pfd.	1,800	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
U. S. Realty.	3,000	90	90	88¾	89¾	90
U. S. Rec'ver.	900	27¾	28¾	27¾	28¾	28¾
Do pfd.	1,500	64¾	67¾	64¾	67¾	67¾
U. S. Rubber.	2,200	41¾	41¾	40¾	40¾	41
Do 1st pfd.	1,100	116	116	116	116¾	116
U. S. Steel.	116,800	37¾	39¾	37¾	39¾	39¾
Do pfd.	130,800	101¾	102¾	100¾	101¾	102
Va. Car Chem.	900	37¾	38	37¾	38	38
Do pfd.	200	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	108
Vulcan Detin.	100	132	133	132	133	132
Wabash.	900	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Do pfd.	1,800	42	42¾	41¾	42¾	42¾
W. Union.	900	93¾	93¾	89¾	93¾	93¾
Westinghouse.	900	174	175	173	173	174
W. L.	100	18	18	18	18	18
Wis. Cent.	1,800	23	23	21¾	22¾	22¾
Do pfd.	1,900	50	50	49	49	50¾

Total sales, 1,708,165 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	240	250	United States	120
American	220	226	Wells Fargo	240

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U. S. 5s, reg.				104¾
U. S. 4s, coup.				104¾
U. S. 4s, new, reg.				132
U. S. 4s, new, coup.				132½
D. C. 3.65s				118½
Phil 4s				100

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS —10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

1000 Am Cot Oil 4½s				97½
13000 Am Hide 6s				97½
27000 Am Tob 6s				112@113¾
207000 do 4s				87@87¾
5000 Ann Arbor 1st 4s				90¾
89000 Atch 4s				102¾@¾
1000 do adj 4s				90¾
7000 do stamp				90@¾
1000 A C L 4s				101¾
12000 B-O 4s				103@¾
2000 do 3½s				95
4000 do S W 3½s				92½
84000 B R T Co 4s				80¾@¾
4000 B U El 1st				110¾
1000 Buf Gas 5s				98
2000 B C R-N 5s				111¾
3000 Can So 1st				103¾
2000 C of Ga con 5s				116
10000 do 2d inc				77¾
12000 do 3d inc				50@51¾
2000 Cent P 1st				103¾
31000 C-O 4½s				107¼@¾
12000 C-Alton 3½s				82½
90000 C B-Q 4s				104@¾
5000 do reg				98½
15000 Chgo-M 6s				124½@122
1000 C-N W deb				119¾
46000 Rock Is 4½s				92¾@93
27000 do 4s				86@87
60000 do ref 4s				95¼@¾
28000 C R I-P Ry 4s				86
2000 C St P-M 1st				133¾
6000 C C C-St L 4s				98
3000 Colo Ind 5s				74½@¾
18000 do B				70@71
13000 Colo Mid 4s				83
24000 Colo So 4s				93¼@94¼
1000 Con Gas conv 6s				178¼
5000 Cuba Tob 4s				80¾
5000 Cuba 5s				104¾@105
22000 Dis Sec 5s				76@¾
1000 Elgin J-E 1st				120
10000 Erie conv 4s				106¾
12000 do P L 4s				101¼@¾
6000 do Pa Coal 6s				144
5000 do g m 4s				92¼
5000 P-F M cons				114
10000 Ft W-D 1st				114@¾
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10000 Ft W-D 1st				114@¾
2000 Ft W-D 1st				97¾@98
43000 L & N U 4s				93¾@¾
10000 Lehigh 4½s				110¾
9000 L-N g m 6s				132
4000 do 4s				103¾

Total sales, $3,205,700.

RUN OF STRAWBERRIES LARGE.

Arrivals of berries were the largest of the season, about 17 cars received. These offerings completely swamped the market for a time, but at a slight decline the market was soon cleaned up. The quality of the berries showed a great deal of improvement and outside of a few overripe cases were good. Butter and eggs ruled easy at the recent decline.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra fine, 30 per case fresh	17c	Butter, creamery, extras	30c
Do prime firsts	16c	Firsts	28@29c
Do, at mark, general receipts, cases included	15¾@15¾c	Seconds	24@27c
Do, cases returned	15c	Dairies, Cooley's	28c
		Packing stock	20c
		Cheese, twins	14c

FRUITS.

Oranges, box	$1.50@3.25	brl	$4.00@6.50
Strawberries, 24 qts	50@62.50	Bananas, per bunch	50c@$1.75
Grape fruit	$2.00@4.50	Lemons, boxes	$1.50@2.00
Apples, 1 bu	25c@$1.75	Pineapples, per case	$2.25@3.10
Do brls	$1.00@2.75	Cranberries, per	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys	14c	Dressed chickens	12¼@13c
Live chickens	12@12½c	Dressed turkeys	15@18c
Broilers	15@18c	Snipe, per doz	50c@$1.25
Live ducks	12@13c	Plover, golden	$1.25
Live geese, per doz	$4.00@7.00	Yellow leg	40@50c
Capons	14@16c		

VEGETABLES.

Asparagus, per doz	$1.25@4.50	Lettuce, heads, per brl	$2.00@4.00
Beets, new, per brl	$3.00@4.00	Do leaf, cases	25c
Cabbages, new, brl	$1.50@2.50	Cucumbers, per doz	35c@$1.10
Potatoes, bu	50c@60c	Rhubarb, box	40@50c
Do, new, brl	$1.50@2.50	Tomatoes, per case	$2.00@4.50
Do, sweet, brl	$1.00@2.50	Spinach, boxes	40@85c
Onions, per bu	90c@$1.10	String beans, boxes	$3.00@4.00
Beans, hand picked	$1.85@2.00		

VEAL.

60@80 lbs	6@7c	Choice	8c
85@120 lbs	7@7½c	Coarse and heavy	5@6c

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Decrees.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Kavanagh—5340—Hanson vs. Smith; rep. sale and distrib. confd. and def. dec.—2218—Wells vs. Wells; dec.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Healy—7014—Mech vs. Trelow; dec. sale.—8283—Con. N. Bk. vs. Helford; dec.—282637—In re petn. of Peters; dec.—18100—Congdon vs. Major; def. dec.—11284—In re petn. of Applegate; dec.—13517—In re appln. of Riebenstahn; dec.

Judge Heard—12383—Green vs. Green; dec. div.

Judge Gibbons—3006—Carter vs. Carter; dec.—15008—Boyer vs. Unknown Owners; dec.—13185—Koch vs. Koch; dec. div.

Judge Honoré—13501—Ford vs. Ford; dec. div.—Do 1st pfd. ... 600 50¼ 50¼ 50¼ 50¼ 50¼
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Fed. Mining pfd. ... 1,500 97¾ 99 97¾ 99 98¾
Ft. W. & D. C. ... 100 61¾ 61¾ 61¾ 61¾ 61¾
Gen. Elec. ... 8,100 176¾ 179¾ 176¾ 178¾ 180¼
Gt. Nor. pfd. ... 300 291 291 291 291 291
Havana Elec. ... 200 15 15 15 15 15
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N. Y. Central. ... 22,100 157¾ 161¾ 157¾ 161¾ 161¾
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North. Pac. ... 800 168 170 165 167 168
Nor. & W. ... 2,700 87¾ 90¾ 87¾ 90¾ 90¾
North Am. ... 12,900 103¾ 104 101 101 103¾
Pac. Coast. ... 100 91 91 91 91 90¾
Pac. Mail. ... 2,700 41¾ 41¾ 41¾ 41¾ 41¾
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Phila. R. ... 100 125 125 125 125 125
Pitts. Coal. ... 1,000 18 18 18 18 18
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Pullman. ... 200 240 240 240 240 241
Ry. Steel Spr. ... 1,000 37 37 36¾ 36¾ 37
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So. Pac. ... 31,600 65¾ 65¾ 65¾ 65¾ 66
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Tenn. Coal. ... 15,000 94 96 94 95 97
Tex. Pac. ... 2,000 24¾ 24¾ 24¾ 24¾ 24¾
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Un. Pac. ... 178,500 126 126¾ 123¾ 125¾ 127
Do pfd. ... 200 100 100 100 100 100
United Inv. ... 100 41¾ 41¾ 41¾ 41¾ 41¾
Do pfd. ... 100 83 83 83 83 83
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Do pfd. ... 1,300 94¾ 94¾ 94¾ 94¾ 94¾
U. S. Express. ... 200 127 128 127 128 128
U. S. Leather. ... 1,400 7¾ 8 7¾ 7¾ 7¾
Do pfd. ... 1,800 103¾ 103¾ 103¾ 103¾ 103¾
U. S. Realty. ... 3,000 90 90 88¾ 89¾ 90
U. S. Rec'ver. ... 900 27¾ 28¾ 27¾ 28¾ 28¾
Do pfd. ... 1,500 64¾ 67¾ 64¾ 67¾ 67¾
U. S. Rubber. ... 2,200 41¾ 41¾ 40¾ 40¾ 41
Do 1st pfd. ... 1,100 116 116 116 116¾ 116
U. S. Steel. ... 116,800 37¾ 39¾ 37¾ 39¾ 39¾
Do pfd. ... 130,800 101¾ 102¾ 100¾ 101¾ 102
Va. Car Chem. ... 900 37¾ 38 37¾ 38 38
Do pfd. ... 200 107¾ 107¾ 107¾ 107¾ 108
Vulcan Detin. ... 100 132 133 132 133 132
Wabash. ... 900 21¾ 21¾ 21¾ 21¾ 21¾
Do pfd. ... 1,800 42 42¾ 41¾ 42¾ 42¾
W. Union. ... 900 93¾ 93¾ 89¾ 93¾ 93¾
Westinghouse. ... 900 174 175 173 173 174
W. L. ... 100 18 18 18 18 18
Wis. Cent. ... 1,800 23 23 21¾ 22¾ 22¾
Do pfd. ... 1,900 50 50

ARMOUR JULY WHEAT SOLD

HERE HAS A TWO CENT BREAK FOR THE DAY.

Bulls Are Against Purchases at Minneapolis, Closing Up a Spread Between the Markets at a Good Profit —Weather Is Favorable — Corn Feels the Wheat Break, Weak Longs Selling Holdings—Oats and Provisions.

July wheat had the severest break scored at any time during the May decline, losing not fro maympathy with the May weakness but because the Armour Grain company was unclosing a spread between this market and Minneapolis, selling several millions here and buying July wheat heavily at that market. At the time the spread was sold the Minneapolis market was at a premium of 1c over the Chicago price. At the close yesterday it was at a premium of 2c, the operation showing a nice profit on the spread.

The July range here was from 86¾c to 84¾c, with the close at the latter price bid. September wheat lost 1¼c, to 80½c bid. Besides this selling there was a wet weather map showing heavy rains in southern Kansas, Nebraska, and Texas on Sunday, and a bullish sentiment for showery conditions for most of the winter wheat belt today to encourage

Heavy selling of July was through Ware-Lind, Barrell, Love, Jackson, Chandler, Peters, Lindman, Kidston, and Barrell. There were taking profits at all stages of the decline. Knight-Donnelley were large buyers around 85c, steadying the market, while Fitch-Rankin and Logan-Bryan were on that side, and Wrenn was a buyer of July against sales of September.

Local receipts still showed the effect of the cold shipments to this market to catch the late May premium, 121 cars inspected in and 100 estimated. Total primary receipts were 1,000 bu, compared with 277,000 bu last year. Choice wheat in the sample market was as much as the May, and millers are coming forward buyers, cash sales about

Minneapolis stocks decreased 300,000 bu in three days. Clearances were 139,000 bu. Foreign markets were closed. World's shipments were lighter than expected; 8,288,000 bu, compared with 10,544,000 bu last year. Russia's contribution jumped to 3,040,000 bu. The visible supply decreased 555,000 bu, compared with 173,000 bu decrease last

Nervous Longs Sell Corn.

The corn market mirrored the slump in wheat with an extreme break of 1⅝-1¾c, May closing at 43¾c, and closed with a loss of 1⅝@1¾c at 46c. The weakness was due largely to liquidation of a miscellaneous character. There was some pressure from the local bear contingent. So far as surface indications went there was no selling by the big longs, offers coming from weak holders.

There was fair cash demand developed on the decline, practically all from domestic consumers, however, as foreign markets were dull. Sales amounted to 350,000 bu, part of which was for July in store. c. i. f. Buffalo. New York reported sales of 384,000 bu for export, and 60,000 bu done late on Saturday, said to be due to covering of short sales by shippers. Prices on the sample tables were

Spring Plowing Progressing.

Reports said spring plowing was further advanced than in ordinary years. Country acceptances were reported light by sellers, and receipts were 154 cars, and 193 cars as expected in today's inspection. Clearances were 3,000,000 bu, of which Atlantic contributed 2,500,000 bu.

There was an increase of 714,000 bu in the visible supply and of 4,000 bu in local stocks. The primary receipts were 382,000 bu, compared with 468,000 bu last year. Clearances at the seaboard were 288,000 bu. There was talk in Champlin brokers and sacrificed some of the dip demand was mainly from

Oats Are Relatively Firm.

Withstood the weakness in wheat better than other markets, prices off only ¼c at the end closing with a loss of ⅝c, May 30c. The strength was due to covering of shorts and lack of pressure. Cash prices were ¼@¾c lower, and shipping demand continued to rule quiet, sales 150,000 bu. There were 80 cars in, and 157 cars are reported for today. Clearances at the seaboard were 11,000 bu. Reports of the growing crop generally were favorable. Selling was scattered among local traders and commission houses. Northern Grain and Updike bought. On the dip Geahart, Pacaud, and Bolger bought, the latter presumably for

Liquidation On in Provisions.

Provisions suffered from free liquidation, some of it presumed to be for Cudahy and Armour. On the decline the best demand was by packers, Cudahy Packing Co. being leading with purchases of 1,000,000 pounds of ribs. Selling was by Jackson Bros., Boesel-Edwards, and Bailey. At the end of the day pork was 2½@30c lower, lard and ribs 7½@10c lower. Local hog receipts were 37,000 head, and 25,000 are estimated for today. Prices were at the yards were a shade higher. Other western packing points there were 36,000 hogs, against 79,300 last week, and 50,000 last year. The average weight of hogs at receipts for the week was 216 lbs, against 215 lbs the week before and 210 lbs

Flaxseed Futures Lower.

Cash was dull and easy, May selling at 75c and off to 74½c at the close. April was nearly 70c. No. 2 sold at 78c f. o. b. and at 74½c. Receipts were 6 cars.

Barley sold from 38@47c for malting grades and 30@36c for screenings. Offerings were light. Receipts, 17 cars.

Timothy seed was steady for No. 1 northwestern at $1.40, while May, April, and No. 1 were at 2c at $1.25. Receipts were 18 cars at Minneapolis, 10 at Duluth, and 1

Timothy seed ruled steady. September is nominally $3.25 and April $2.95. Country lots ranged from $2.00@3.00. April clover seed was nominally $14.00 and bag lots from $9.00@13.75.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Closing—Apr. 24.	Apr. 22.
May	86-86	86¾	84¾	84¾-¾	86¾-¾
July	81½-¾	85¾	84¾	85¾-¾	86¾-¾
September				80½-¾	81¾-¾

CORN.

May	47¾	47¾	45¾	46	47¾
July	47¾-¾	48¼	46¾	46¾	47½-¾
September				46¾	47¾

OATS.

May	29¾	29¾	29¼	29¼	29¾
July	29¼	29¼	28¾	28¾	29¼
September	28¾	28¾	28¼	28¼	28¾

MESS PORK.

May	12.37½	12.10	12.15	12.15	12.45
July	12.10	12.40	12.10	12.45	12.72½

LARD.

May	7.12½	7.12½	7.02½	7.07½	7.15-17½
July	7.30	7.30	7.15	7.25	7.35

SHORT RIBS.

May	6.85	6.85	6.75	6.80	6.90
July	7.12½	7.15	7.00	7.07½-10	7.17½

Movement of Produce.

Receipts and shipments of produce for the last day, as compared with last year:

	Receipts—		Shipments—	
	1905.	1904.	1905.	1904.
Flour, bbls.	20,000	15,153	18,272	12,268
Wheat, bu.	141,022	15,780	9,270	13,700
Corn, bu.	154,200	216,700	427,841	81,400
Oats, bu.	128,550	165,350	345,407	20,292
Rye, bu.	2,000		2,700	950
Barley, bu.	75,900	42,575	12,200	11,413
Grass seed, lbs.	5,000	74,500	43,782	146,700
Flaxseed, bu.		82,350	1,000	2,962
Timothy seed, lbs.	63,620	246,000	140,807	51,700
Clover seed, lbs.	2,700	1,800	1,000	
Other seeds, lbs.		171,400	800	99,720
Hay, tons	1,022,964	846,711	2,238,450	2,097,381
Broom corn, lbs.			7,340	9,922
Coal, tons	822,724	309,052	2,014,382	2,949,786
Lumber, M ft.			475	475
Cattle, head	316,563	55,120	494,187	1,834,380

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 or better.	No. 3.	No. 4.	Low grade.	Total.
Wheat	1	...	61	20	91
Corn	19	...	5	5	29
Oats	9	21	98	49	154
Rye			38	12	50
Barley			1	4	5
Timothy seed			7	10	17
Totals	47	21	210	100	378

Wheat—No. 2 red, 1 car; No. 3 red, 1 car; No. 2 hard, 1 car; No. 3 hard, 1 car; No. 4 hard, 1 car; No. 3 spring, 1 car; no grade, 2 cars; rejected, 2 cars; contract grade, 2 cars and 264,300 bu No. 3 yellow, 2 cars and 2,000 bu No. 4 yellow, 2 cars No. 1 northern, 2 cars and 18,700 bu No. 3 yellow, 2 cars and 264,300 bu No. 3 yellow, 2 cars and 18,700 bu No. 3, 10 cars No. 4. Oats—66,300 bu standard, 6 cars No. 3 white, 5 cars No. 2. Rye—1 car No. 2.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Easy. Hard spring [favorite brands], $5.90@6.00; hard patents [in wood], $5.20@5.30; straight, [export bags], $4.90@5.00; clear [export bags], $5.00@5.70; soft winter patents [export bags], $4.70@4.80; straight, $4.50@4.90; hard winter patents [export bags], $4.60; clear [export bags], $3.70@4.20; rye flour, brls, $4.00@4.35; sacks, $3.80@4.10.

WINTER WHEAT—7@12c lower. Sales on track: No. 4 hard, 70c. Free on board: No grade red, 96c; No. 4 red, 68c; No. 3 red, 87@90c; No. 4 hard, 60@81c; No. 3 hard, 83¼@92½c; No. 2 hard, 94½@94¾c.

SPRING WHEAT—7@10c lower. Sales on board: No. 2 northern, 92c.

CORN—1@2c lower. Sales in store and to go: No. 3, 46¼c, and 200,000 bu for shipment on p. t.; No. 3 yellow, 100,000 bu for shipment on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 37@41c; No. 4, 37@43½c; No. 3, 45¾@46¼c; No. 2 yellow, 46¾@47¼c; No. 2, 46@47c; No. 3 yellow, 47@48c; No. 3 white, 46@47c. Billed through: No grade, 39@40c; No. 4, 43¼@44½c; No. 3, 44¾@45½c; No. 3 yellow, 45¾@46¼c; No. 2, 45½c; No. 3 white, 44¾@45¾c; No. 2 white, 46¼c.

OATS—½@¾c lower. Sales in store and to go: White clipped, 100,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4, 28¼c; No. 4 white, 29@30¼c; No. 3, 28¾c; No. 3 white, 29½@31¼c; standard, 30½@31¾c; No. 2, 29½@29¾c; No. 2 white, 30¼@32c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 29¼@29½c; No. 3, 28¾c; No. 3 white, 29½@30½c; standard, 30¼@31c; No. 2, 29c; No. 2 white, 30¾c.

RYE—Weak. Sales free on board: No. 2, 75½@75c; No. 3, 74¾c.

BARLEY—Steady. Sales free on board or switched: Screenings, 28@37c; barley, 37@47½c.

PROVISIONS—Weak. Cash lots mess pork, $12.10@12.15; lard, $7.00@7.02½; ribs, $6.75@6.87½, according to weight.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $18.00@18.50; extra mess beef, $9.00@10.00; plate beef, $10.50@11.50; extra plate beef, $11.00@12.00. Tallow—Steady at 5¾@5¾c for edible; 5¼@5¾c for prime packers; 4¾@4¾c for No. 1 do, and 3½@3¾c for No. 2 do; 4½@4¾c for city renderers; 5@5¼c for prime country; 3¾@3¾c for No. 2 do. Oleo-stearine 7½c in moderate demand and quotably steady at 8¾@8¾c.

GREASE—Quiet and steady at 3¼@3¾c for brown, 3½@3¾c for yellow, 3¼@3¾c for house, 4½@4¾c for B white, and 4¾@5c for A white.

COOPERAGE—Quiet and steady. Ash pork brls, 87½@90c; oak pork brls, $1.00@1.12½; lard tierces, $1.22½@1.25. Sales, 2 cars ash pork brls, 87½c.

WHISKY—Steady on a basis of $1.23 for finished goods.

HAY—Firm; receipts, 1,119 tons; shipments, 34 tons. Sales on track: Not graded, timothy, $8.00@11.00. Free on board: Not graded, timothy, $9.00. STRAW—Rye straw quotable at $9.00@9.50; wheat straw at $6.00@6.50, and oat straw, at $6.00@6.50. Sales on track: Tangled rye, $9.00; oat, $6.00.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Wheat—Receipts, 10,025 bu; spot weak; No. 2 red, 93½c nominal, elevator; No. 2 red, 95½c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.01¾ nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 97c f. o. b. afloat. May wheat was demoralized, losing 4c a bu. Last prices showed 1@2¾c net decline. May closed 94¼c; July closed 89¾c; September, 84c, closed 84½c.

Corn—Receipts, 198,875 bu; exports, 99,614 bu. Spot easy; No. 2, 60c nominal, elevator, and 51½c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 52½c. Options quiet and lower, closing 1¾c below Saturday. May closed 51¾c; July closed 51¾c.

Oats—Receipts, 105,000 bu; exports, 11,450 bu; spot barely steady. Mixed oats, 26@32 lbs, 35@35½c.

Cotton seed oil—Steady; prime yellow, 26¼@27c. Sugar—Raw nominal, 4 11-16@4 23-32c. Fair refining, 4 3-32c; molasses sugar, 3 27-32c. Refined quiet.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; mild quiet. Futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points. The close was steady at an advance of 10@15 points. Sales, 119,500 bags.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
May	6.10	6.25	6.10	6.25	6.15
July	6.35	6.45	6.30	6.45	6.35
September	6.55	6.65	6.55	6.65	6.55
October	6.60	6.75	6.60	6.75	6.65
December	6.65	6.85	6.65	6.85	6.85

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 5 points lower; middling uplands, 7.75c; middling gulf, 8c. Sales, 73 bales. Futures opened easy and closed steady.

	Open.	High	Low.	Close.	Previous close
April	7.23			7.25	7.29
May	7.23	7.35	7.20	7.25	7.29
June	7.20	7.20	7.17	7.17	7.22
July	7.25	7.25	7.16	7.21	7.28
August	7.30	7.30	7.25	7.25	7.31
September	7.35	7.36	7.27	7.27	7.35
October	7.36	7.36	7.31	7.34	7.40

Western Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 24.—Wheat—May closed at 94¼c; July at 85¾c; and September at 81¾c. Cash wheat was in fair demand, closing: On track—No. 1 hard, 89¼c; No. 1 northern, 97¼c; No. 2 northern, 92¼@93¼c; No. 3 wheat, 84¾@86¼c. Flour—First patents, $5.15@5.20; first clears, $4.25@4.35. Flax—Prices at the close were lower; closing price was $1.38½.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 24.—Close: Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 99c; track, 97c@$1.00; May, 90c; July, 80¾c. Corn—Lower; No. 2, cash, 46¼c; track, 48@48¾c; May, 44½@44¾c; July, 44¼@45c. Oats—Lower; No. 2, cash, 29¾c; track, 31@31¼c; May, 27¾c. Lead—Steady; $4.50. Spelter—Dull; $5.75@5.77½.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 24.—Close: Wheat—4c lower; May, 82¼c; July, 74¾@74½c; September, 71¾c. Cash—No. 2 hard, 85@93c. Corn—Lower; May, 42¾c; July, 42¼@42¾c; September, 41½@41¾c. Cash—No. 2 mixed, 44@44½c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 32@33c. Receipts—Wheat, 139 cars.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 24.—Credit balances, $1.31; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 154,612; average, 72,578. Shipments [Lima], 115,907; average, 66,621.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., April 24.—[Special.]—Butter declined 2½c on the board of trade today and is quoted firm at 22c. There were neither offerings or sales. The output for the district during the week was 501,400 lbs.

Swift & Company's

Sales of fresh beef in Chicago for the week ending Saturday, April 22, averaged 7.60 cents per pound.

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

Local mills had the temerity to take about 40,000 bu cash wheat in the local market on the break, but outside millers apparently feared a further decline, and sales to them were only 10,000 bu mixed lots. Prices on the sample tables were as weak as the May in the pit for the high grades, and not so weak for low grades, which already were at unusually wide discounts. No. 2 hard sold at 94¼@94½c. No. 3 red at 87@90c, No. 3 hard at 83½@92½c, and No. 2 northern at 92c f. o. b. At outside markets prices were on the slide also. Kansas City reported 250 cars for sale on the tables, with little demand, and prices on some grades 10c lower. No. 2 hard was 85@93c f. o. b. there. Minneapolis declined 3¾c for No. 1 northern in store, the price 97¼c, and Duluth declined 4¼c to 92c. St. Louis was weak; No. 2 reds $1.00@1.02 f. o. b. There was a moderate demand for corn on the break, practically all for domestic consumers, as foreign markets were closed. Sales were 350,000 bu, including 1...,000 bu No. 3 yellow c. i. f., Buffalo, at 2c over July, and a like amount of No. 3 lake and rail. Sales of oats were 150,000 bu. New York reported 384,00 bu corn for export, the bulk done late Saturday.

There were decreases of 555,000 bu in the wheat visible, 844,000 bu in oats, 41,000 bu in rye, and 345,000 bu in barley during the week, and an increase of 714,000 bu in corn. The wheat total is 30,417,000 bu, compared with 31,196,000 bu last year, when stocks decreased only 173,000 bu. Local stocks increased 218,000 bu to 1,931,000 bu, against 2,088,000 bu last year, and the only other important increases were at Canadian points. Duluth, Buffalo, Minneapolis, and Kansas City showed the best decreases. The total visible of corn is 11,066,000 bu, against 8,886,000 bu last year. Local stocks decreased 4,000 bu to 3,494,000 bu, against 5,360,000 bu. The oats total is 14,671,000 bu, against 9,912,000 bu last year. Local stocks decreased 105,000 bu to 2,561,000 bu; against 2,885,000 bu last year. Rye visible is 1,186,000 bu, against 1,043,000 bu last year, and local stocks 135,000 bu, against 335,000 bu, the decrease 12,000 bu. The barley total is 1,983,000 bu, against 2,858,000 bu last year, and the local stock 1,000 bu, against 250,000 bu.

Wheat traders were sure last night that the May deal had practically been liquidated, but as some of them were almost as sure it was over Saturday, opinions as a rule will be subject to revision today. It was supposed the share of the Gates May holdings line held through Sickel-Roberts had not been liquidated, as there had been no selling by that house, but Woodbury has been a large seller for several days, and a good deal of their sales have been transferred to Sickel-Roberts, while some of them have been settling through Pringle-Fitch-Rankin. The selling by Bartlett-Frazier has not been as large as their line was supposed to be, but some of their wheat also may settle through other houses.

Theron Logan, head of the big private wire commission house of Logan & Bryan, will retire from the firm May 1 because of poor health. Mr. Logan, who has amassed a comfortable fortune in the trade, has no plans except to take a long rest. The business will be continued under the same name for the present by the remaining partners on the same lines as before, and with ample capital. The remaining partners are Benjamin B. Bryan, R. W. McKinnon, and Henry Nicolay, the latter in charge of the New York office of the firm.

Shipments of wheat from all exporting countries except Russia showed a sharp decrease for the week. Detailed world's shipments follow:

	This week.	Last week.	Last year.
America	815,000	976,000	1,312,000
Russia	3,040,000	1,712,000	2,384,000
Danube	432,000	520,000	272,000
Argentine	2,832,000	4,403,000	4,040,000
India	248,000	816,000	1,024,000
Australia	824,000	720,000	1,232,000
Austro-Hungary	None	None	80,000
Various	96,000	28,000	200,000
Total	8,288,000	9,280,000	10,544,000

"It takes about forty days for Argentine corn to reach destination, so that at the present rate of shipments the continent and united kingdom can only count on about 1,000,000 bu of Argentine during the next six weeks," said a local bull, "so that it is safe to estimate that they will continue to take about 3,000,000 bu a week from us. With our present visible and light movement this will certainly take care of all possible receipts and should give us a good market."

Walter Comstock, who has been active in the grain commission business for several years, with an office on the ground floor of the board of trade building, will retire from business May 1 because of ill health, and spend some time on his farms in Indiana and in Michigan recuperating. Richard Sylvester, junior partner in the house, will take a vacation of a month before resuming business on the floor.

Contract stocks showed the following changes for the week: Wheat increased 203,472 bu, corn increased 117,102 bu, oats increased 33,819 bu. The wheat total is 1,801,011 bu, No. 2 red increased 45,167 bu to a total of 446,810 bu, No. 2 hard increased 78,400 bu to 1,210,465 bu, and No. 1 northern increased 79,905 bu to 143,936 bu. The corn total is 2,416,986 bu, and oats 1,403,001 bu.

Several cars of No. 3 hard wheat weighing over 57 pounds sold at 2½c under July, and some of the cash handlers think this a sufficiently attractive discount to bring about an improved cash demand, as it will pay to carry the wheat at that difference.

"I believe the wheat market is about down to a sound cash basis," said Charles B. Pierce. "May sold as low as 7c over July at one time today, and ought to be worth 5c to 7c over."

Albert Schwill, of the firm of Albert Schwill & Co., died at Bad Mendeim, Germany, on Sunday. Mr. Schwill was 62 years old and had been prominent in the malting trade for years.

Estimated receipts for today are: Wheat, 205 cars; corn, 193 cars; oats, 157 cars; rye, 1 car; barley, 46 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

There were charters for 300,000 bu corn to Buffalo at 1½c.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The dry goods market did not seem to have fully recovered today from the effects of the holidays. Comparatively few buyers were about. The jobbers are preparing for an influx of buyers in view of their forthcoming special sales.

Metals—Local markets were generally quiet, but easier. Copper—Unsettled; $15.37½ for electrolyte. Lake is quoted at $15.00@15.25; electrolyte, $15.00@15.25, and casting at $14.75@15.00. Tin, quiet and dull; Spot is quoted at $30.00@30.50. Lead, unchanged at $4.50@4.60. Spelter, quiet demand and shows an easier tone at $5.90 for spot. Iron was quiet with the market slightly in buyers' favor.

Butter—Easy; receipts, 4,369 pkgs. Street price, extra creamery, 30@30½c; official price, creamery, common to extra, 25@30c; state dairy, 24c. Butter in Philadelphia, weaker; extra western creamery, 31c; extra nearby prints, 33c.

Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 18,653 cases. Eggs in Philadelphia, easier; nearby fresh, 16½ at mark; western fresh, 17c at mark.

Poultry—Alive, nominal. Dressed, easy; western chickens, 10@12c; fowls, 10@13½c; turkeys, 14@18c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep and Lambs Are Slow After Fairly Strong Opening.

All the live stock markets at the stockyards were slow at the close yesterday. Cattle started out fairly strong, but soon weakened, and the buying became listless. Some beef steers sold at an advance of 10@15c. Buyers showed no eagerness.

Hogs opened strong, with the speculators and shippers buying. Values at first were 2½@5c higher, and best hogs sold at $5.85. The supply was far from exhausted.

Sheep and lambs were weak. Best lambs sold at $7.60, a decline of 10c, and the general drop was 10@15c.

Cattle.

The market for cattle was slow. Weakness followed an opening fairly strong. Butcher cattle were no better than steady. Canners and cutters were lower. Calves were steady on light holdings. Quotations:

Good to choice steers	$6.15@6.80
Common to medium steers	5.40@6.15
Inferior to common steers	4.00@5.40
Good to fancy cows and heifers	4.00@5.40
Fair to good cows and heifers	3.45@4.60
Good to choice feeders	4.25@5.15
Fair to choice feeders	3.70@4.40
Good cutting and fair beef cows	2.40@3.35
Common to good canning cows	1.60@2.35
Bulls, poor to choice	2.65@4.50
Calves, common to fair	3.00@5.00
Calves, good to fancy	5.10@6.00

Hogs.

The early hog trade was strong to 5c higher. The receipts were not heavy, but the demand was light at the close.

Good to choice shipping | $5.45 @5.60
Fair to good butcher weight | 5.50 @5.65
Fair to good heavy mixed | 5.37½@5.50
Fair to good heavy packing | 5.40 @5.52½
Light mixed | 5.45 @5.57½
Good to choice 200@225 lb weights | 5.50 @5.62½
Fair to good pigs, 65@100 lb weights | 4.50 @5.40

HOG PURCHASES.

Anglo-American	1,900	Swift & Co.	5,000
Armour & Co.	6,500	S. S. & S.	2,400
Boore & Co.	100	Small packers and	
Boyd, L. & Co.	600	butchers	1,500
Continental	39		
G. H. Hammond Co.	800	Total	20,500
R. & O.	200	Shippers bought	13,000
Nelson Morris & Co.	1,500	Left unsold	5,500

Sheep and Lambs.

The market for sheep and lambs was weak. Values showed a general decline. Quotations:

Export wethers, shorn	$5.00@5.05
Fair to prime wethers	4.75@5.10
Fair to prime ewes	4.40@4.75
Yearlings, fair to fancy	5.15@5.75
Culls, ewes, poor to fair	3.00@3.90
Bucks and stags	2.50@3.50
Native lambs, medium to prime, shorn	6.00@6.50
Native lambs, culls to fair class, shorn	4.00@5.55
Western lambs, shorn	5.50@6.50
Western lambs, medium to prime	7.15@7.60
Western lambs, poor to fair	6.85@7.10
Western feeding lambs, poor to best	5.50@7.00

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Beeves—Receipts, 4,001. Market slow. Steers, 10c to 25c lower; fat bulls and good cows, 10@15c off; others steady to firm. Calves—Receipts, 5,994. Trade active, but prices generally 25c to 50c lower. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,250. Sheep slow and weak; lambs firmly held and slow. Hogs—Receipts, 8,213. Market firm.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,200, including 1,100 southerns. Market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 5,500. Market 2½@5c higher. Top, $5.52½; bulk of sales, $5.40@5.50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,200. Market steady.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500, including 1,500 Texans. Market 10c higher. Hogs—Receipts, 5,500. Market strong. Sheep—Receipts, 1,700. Market steady.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,266. Strong to 10c higher. Hogs—Receipts, 4,107. Strong to 5c higher. Sheep—Receipts, 12,278; 10@15c lower.

OMAHA, Neb., April 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500. Market active, 10c higher. Hogs—Receipts, 4,500. Market 2½c higher. Sheep—Receipts, 11,000. Market 10c lower.

Oil and Oil Certificates.

TOLEDO, O., April 24.—Oil—North Lima, 88c; South Lima and Indiana, 83c.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Petroleum—Easy; refined, New York, $6.95; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $6.90; do, in bulk, $4.00.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 24.—Credit balances, $1.31; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 154,612; average, 72,578. Shipments [Lima], 115,907; average, 66,621.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., April 24.—[Special.]—Butter declined 2½c on the board of trade today and is quoted firm at 22c. There were neither offerings or sales. The output for the district during the week was 501,400 lbs.

Swift & Company's

Sales of fresh beef in Chicago for the week ending Saturday, April 22, averaged 7.60 cents per pound.

ACTIVE STOCKS SELL OFF.

DECLINE ON LOCAL EXCHANGE IN SYMPATHY WITH NEW YORK.

Commission House Views on Situation Vary, but Conservatism Is Advised—H. G. Hetzler Elected a Director and President of the Metropolitan Elevated Railway—George Higginson Jr. to Continue in Second Place.

Active stocks on the local exchange sold off in sympathy with New York. American Can preferred dropped to 70, but recovered one point. The annual meeting will be held in Jersey City today. Earnings at the rate of approximately 8 per cent have been announced.

National Biscuit shares were under some pressure. The management did not care to discuss the circular, in which it was asserted that the company's business was falling off, and that the management was unpopular. The identity of the writer has not yet been disclosed.

In the bond department South Side L 4½s were a little lower, closing at 103-½.

Commission House Views.

Chicago commission houses had varied advices from their New York correspondents at the close. J. H. Wrenn & Co.'s people said they did not believe the liquidation over and did not feel yet like advising purchases of stocks. John King and Sidney Love wired that the Equitable fight was bad and they were not prepared to be bullish.

Hollister & Babcock wired Russell, Brewster & Co. that indications "point that this liquidation has been quite thorough. Under all the circumstances the market today has been better than might have been expected. We have no doubt the active bear party here and in Boston will continue their efforts, but we think it will not be long before the market assumes a much better appearance. It closed today under considerable pressure, but with a better undertone than appeared on the surface."

B. Dominick Jr. was pessimistic, and wired: "The market looked bad at the close, and will undoubtedly give us some anxious times tomorrow."

Frank Sturgis wired, among other things: "The anxiety and distress experienced in the stock market on Thursday has been followed by unusual irregularity in price movement during today's session. While at times the selling movement had the appearance of having spent itself, each rally was met by further heavy liquidation which seemed to find its source chiefly in the west.

"The conditions of Thursday's break were those that could not have been anticipated by any one, no matters how much care and thought had been bestowed upon the situation. The heavy liquidation which took place was, so far as the street was concerned, not brought about by any fresh conditions, but was the action of parties desirous of taking their profits. These sales came at a time when the conditions in Chicago were at a high degree of tension and when the market had already given evidence of being unsettled. The bears availed themselves further of the general conditions, so that a combination of selling orders flooded the street with stocks, bringing into execution stop loss orders and bringing out the holdings of many weak speculators.

"It is our theory that a market like that must needs soon run its course, as it is not legitimate and not warranted by the national conditions. We are practically at peace with the world, we are prosperous as a nation, money is at a reasonable rate of interest, and our crops give indication of success. There is no reason for securities to decline and every reason for them to hold their own or moderately advance. This is peculiarly true of the industrials, although the railroad companies now enjoying good credit can market their bonds in so satisfactory a manner that they can wisely equip their properties and increase the general productive capacity thereof. Nothing, therefore, should cause anxiety to the holder of securities whose financial position is strong and who has the courage of his convictions."

Aside from commission house views, the most important interests in New York take an unfavorable view of the market.

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the Automatic Electric company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable on May 1. Books close on April 24 and reopen on May 2.

The American Glue company declared the usual semi-annual dividend of $2.00 a share on common stock, payable on May 1.

Directors of the National Carbon company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on preferred stock, payable on May 1. Books close on May 5 and reopen on May 16. The board took no action on the common dividend, which, if the payment of a semi-annual disbursement is to be maintained, is not due until July 1.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amer. Can	6,150	13¾	13⅞	13	13¼
Do pfd	9,100	71½	71¾	69¼	71
Am. W. Paper	1,100	32	32	31½	32
Beth. Steel	300	34¾	35	34¾	35
B. C. Copper	1,100	7	7	7	7
G. Copper	3,700	27	28	27	28
G. Gold	1,900	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Int. Marine	12,000	12¾	13⅛	12¾	13⅛
Do pfd	2,000	30½	30¾	30½	30¾
Interboro	1,200	204	206	203	206
Mackay	1,200	40¼	40¾	40¼	40¾
Do pfd	100	73¼	73¼	73¼	73¼
M. & B	1,300	¾	13-16	¾	¾
Nor. Sec	37,900	164¾	164¾	155	156
Stand. Oil	39	625	628	626	625½
United Cop	9,900	26	27¼	25	25
Do pfd	500	69	72	70	70
U. S. Leather, w. i.	1,100	43½	44	43¼	44
Do pfd w. i.	450	100¾	101	100¼	101

BONDS.

$16,800 Jap new 4½s	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	
$27,000 U. S. L. 5s, w. i.	99	99	99	99	

*And Int.

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
American Writing Paper	5½	5¾
Bay State Gas	¼	5-16
Compressed Air	¾	¼
Electric Boat	34	38
Do pfd	75	79
Electric Automatic	¼	½
Electric Vehicle	12	14
Do pfd	17	22
Havana Tobacco	31	33
Do pfd	39	41
K. C. Ry. & Light, com	37½	39½
Do pfd	87½	89
Manhattan Transit	3¾	4½
N. Y. El. Veh. Trans.	7¼	7¾
Otis Elevator	52	55
Do pfd	105	108
Pittsburg and Bessemer	33	38
Do pfd	68	75
Royal Baking Powder pfd	109	111
Seaboard Air Line	17	19
Do pfd	35	38
Standard Coupler	30	39
Do pfd	120	135
Tenn. Copper	26	28
Bethlehem pfd	84	86
Subway	54	55
Safety Car Heating	250	260

Foreign Exchange.

The market was dull throughout the day, there being little or no inquiry for remittances. Actual rates for bankers' sixty day bills were 4.8445@4.8450; demand, 4.8625@4.8630; cable transfers, 4.8650@4.8655; sight francs, 5.17½ plus 1-32@5.16⅞ less 1-16; short marks, 94 15-16@95 less 1-04.

Following are the posted rates of the principal drawers of foreign exchange:

Sterling	4.87¼
Paris, francs	5.16¼
Berlin, reichsmark	95¼
Amsterdam, florins	40¾
Zurich, francs	5.16¼
Genoa, lire	5.16¼
Antwerp, francs	5.16¼
Stockholm, kroners	26.90
St. Petersburg, rubles	51.75
Vienna, kroners	20.40

Approximate rates for demand drafts on the orient:

Hongkong	45¾
Manila	50¼
Shanghai	63¼
Yokohama	50

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DEATHS.

BESSERER—Mary Elizabeth, Funeral Wednesday, 1:30 p. m., 1191 S. Western-av.; to Wunder's.

CARPENTER—Bessie, nee Mahon, wife of George W. Carpenter, 614 S. Turner-av. Funeral notice later.

CASSIDY—Henry, 208 S. Loomis-st. Funeral Wednesday, 9 a. m.; to St. Jarath's church, carriages to Calvary.

CONDON—April 23, Patrick, husband of Bridget. Funeral Tuesday, at 9:30 a. m., 564 E. 45th-pl., to Corpus Christi church, carriages to Mount Olivet.

CORRIGAN—Mary, April 23, widow of the late Thomas. Funeral Wednesday, 9 a. m., 1242 Keeler-st., at 9 a. m., to St. Bridget's church, cars to Mount Olivet.

CORYDON—Thora, daughter of Jeff and Dorothea. Funeral from 663 N. Maplewood-av., Tuesday.

CRANE—Amey, beloved daughter of Fannie Crane. Funeral services at Ludlow & Pearce parlors, 659 E. 47th-st., Wednesday. Burial private.

CREAMER—William, April 24, son of John and Lena. Funeral Wednesday, 416 W. North-av., at 1:30 p. m.; interment at Mount Olive.

CULLEN—Laura, April 23, daughter of the late Rose E. Funeral Tuesday, at 9:30 a. m., 106 Edgemont-av., to Holy Family church, cars to Mount Olivet.

DIETSCH—Albert P., son of Anton and Sophia, Saturday. Funeral 362 Racine-av. Wednesday, at 9 a. m., to Our Lady of Mount Carmel church, carriages to St. Boniface.

DOBLER—William, son of the late John and Maggie. Funeral 2916 Farrell-st., Tuesday, to St. Bridget's church, carriages to Calvary.

FARLEY—Lena, April 24, 21 Leland-av., wife of John. Burial at Mount Olivet.

FARNSWORTH—Frank G., 575 S. Kedzie-av., April 24. Funeral, Beloit, Wis.

FINN—Thomas. Funeral Tuesday, 9:30 a. m., 3825 State-st., to St. Elizabeth's church; Calvary.

FOWLER—Joseph C. Jr., beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Fowler Sr., the inventor, April 24. Funeral services from Barnes' Undertaking company's parlors, 2d floor, 2324 Calumet-av., at 2 p. m. Remains will be placed in the vault at Oakwoods cemetery. Washington, Baltimore, and New York papers please copy.

GIUNTOLI—Mary Cecelia, daughter of Palmiro and Rose. Funeral Wednesday, 420 W. Harrison-st., at 10 a. m., to Mount Carmel by carriages.

HANSEN—Karem M., wife of Henry. Funeral Tuesday, 1:30 p. m., 3622 Dearborn-st.; interment at Mount Olivet.

KANE—April 24, at 4012 Butler-st., David, son of Thomas and Hannah. Funeral Wednesday, at 11 a. m., cars to Mount Olivet.

KELLOGG—Mrs. Harriet B., widow of Dr. John S. Kellogg. Evergreen Park, Ill., April 24, 1905. Private funeral. Kindly omit flowers.

KUTTEVES—Christina, April 22, wife of the late William. Funeral Tuesday, at 3:30 p. m., 3701 S. Halsted-st., to Oakwoods.

MALLORY—April 23, Norma, daughter of William and Jenny. Funeral Tuesday, at 1 o'clock, 5436 Dresser-av.; by carriages to Oakwoods.

MARTINS—William, son of Mrs. Martins, April 24. Funeral Wednesday, 7 Augusta-st., to St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, thence to Concordia.

MATHEWS—Mrs. Minnie E., April 23, 1905, aged 63 years. Funeral from her late residence, 200 E. 37th-st., Tuesday at 1 o'clock to Graceland.

MATHISEN—Sohpie, April 21. Funeral 150 N. Ashland-av., Tuesday, 1 p. m., carriages to Mount Olivet.

MORAN—April 23, Thomas, husband of Ellen. Funeral Wednesday, 3024 Lock-st., at 9 a. m., to St. Bridget's church, to Mount Olivet.

MUNGER—D. S., April 24, 1905, aged 80 years. Funeral services at the family residence, 2819 Kenmore-av., Wednesday at 3 p. m. Burial private.

McCABE—At 542 42d-st., William, husband of Margaret. Funeral Tuesday, at 10 a. m., to St. Gabriel's church, cars to Mount Olivet.

McCARTHEY—Mrs. Ellen, April 23, in her 79th year, mother of Mrs. William Logan, Mrs. James Johnston, and Mrs. Cory C. Goodrich. Burial from her late residence, 6518 Ingleside-av., Wednesday, April 26, at 11 o'clock.

McELRAINE—John D., Monday, April 24, 1905, aged 87 years, father of William D. McElvaine and Mrs. John P. Wilson. Funeral from late residence, 453 Evanston-av., Wednesday at 1 o'clock. Whiteside county and Peoria papers please copy.

PARSONS—Mary J., April 23, 1905, at residence, 5187 Jefferson-av., beloved wife of Harlan E., and mother of Ida F. and Hattie L. Parsons. Funeral April 26, 3 p. m. Burial private.

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For Bermuda, 5 p. m.

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SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF 24; experienced in correspondence, advertising, insurance, bookkeeping and stenography; capable of taking charge of office; college education. Address J 435, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED man, age 27, now employed; cashier or collector; best refs.; bond; good reasons for leaving; $60. Address F 448, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BRIGHT, EDUCATed young man, 22 years old in office where there is an opportunity to advance rapidly; three years' office experience; best of references. K 495, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—ASSISTANT BOOKkeeper and stenographer, good correspondent; 4 years with large corporation; A1 references and bond; age 21. Address L 237, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED OFfice assistant, age 22, good penman and figurer; no agencies. Address J 421, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, OFFICE position; city refs.; good education; exp. billing; moderate salary. K 291, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MIDDLE AGED man of experience for clerical work; good references. Address L 108, Tribune office.

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SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF 19, good education, some experience, excellent refs., desires a position as stenographer; also understands bookkeeping; Remington machine; salary $10. Address L 253, Tribune office.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED and capable young man stenographer and general office man; 24 years of age; several years' experience in R. R. and commercial offices; best references; reasonable salary. Address J 229, Tribune office.

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SITUATION WANTED—HAVING RECENTLY relinquished the management of the Chicago office for a large Eastern Co., after a service of 8 years, I desire a position with some reliable firm or to represent them on salary or commission; controlled seven states for former Co., hired my own office and traveling force, passed all credits, directed account work, etc.; good reasons for change; best of references; age 33; married; no insurance or books. Address F 107, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—ADVERTISER NOW employed by one of Chicago's largest wholesale houses, desires change; State-st. experience; competent to handle wholesale or retail proposition; experienced in catalogue making; can handle book of any proportions; practical printer; versed in illustrations, etc.; references include past and present employers. Address H 418, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS CORRESPONDENT or credit man, 25 years old; good education and 7 years of business experience; would like to connect with a house where energy, ability, and thorough business knowledge will be appreciated. Address F 308, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—IN WHICH TO ACquire a practical knowledge of the lumber business; have had experience in a wholesale steam boiler and engine office; am in the university, and have afternoons and Saturdays free; other arrangements possible. Address J 280, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AM MARRIED MAN, 30 years old, past chancellor K. of P., in good standing; good penwoman; temperate, but cannot get position because I am a stranger and cannot give city refs. Address J 415, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—WISH TO REPRESENT contracting or building material firm in Chicago; large establishment among architects and contractors; thorough on plans; competent and reliable. Address J 446, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 26, splendid education and habits, executive ability, and experience, expert organizer, desires permanent position with opportunities. Address H 377, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—UNIVERSITY GRADUate, with 16 years' experience with the large electrical companies of this country as salesman and engineer, desires position with large corporation or mfg. co. Address L 252, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—MANAGER FOR MFG. leggins and overgaiters; 14 years in present position; acquainted with best city trade; for good reason will change; state salary. Address K 301, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS WATCHMAN IN good hotel, mercantile house, or institution by a Scotchman, not long in country; understands electricity and boilers. Address A 303, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BANKER, 25 YEARS' general banking experience; railroaded 10 years; expert accountant; age 35; want position with future. Address J 406, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG, EDUCATED, honest Greek, with American family; experienced waiter; general housework; best reference. Address J 306, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—OFFICE WORK, WITH prospects of advancing to traveling salesman; traveled extensively; rapid typewriter. Address F 469, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—THOROUGHLY REsponsible man, 21 years, as collector; 2 years' experience; best of refs. J 117, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 22, to learn as electrician or steam engineer; board and refs. required. Address L 130, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—ODD JOBS, RUGS, WINdows and house cleaning a specialty. Address I, 111, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE, AS gardener; willing to do all work outside house. Address J 350, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS CHAUFFEUR OR repair man in autoshop; first class machinist. Address J 481, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED — AS TRIAL LAWYER OR house attorney by well prepared and competent lawyer; 31 years old. J 275, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY HANDY MIDDLE aged man about residence; could teach children; German. BENJAMIN HUHN, Hinsdale-av.

SITUATION WANTED — MARRIED, NO children, as driver; position of trust; janitor or otherwise; sober, industrious. Ad. J 476, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS ADVERTISING MAN in mail order business by one of large experience. Address F 442, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BRANCH OFFICE manager, with several years' experience; good systematizer; technical education. K 310, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED man, 22, at anything; not afraid of hard work. Address R 458, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—RESULT SECURING ADVERTISING AND CATALOG MAN. ADDRESS J 263, TRIBUNE OFFICE.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN OF 20, to learn real estate business; wages no object. Address J 431, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 30, at anything; industrious and temperate; shipping experience; refs. BURKE, 31 Lowell-pd.

SITUATION WANTED—AS JANITOR BY MARried man, 2 yrs. experience with mechanical boilers; has good exp.; best of refs. H 325, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, AGE 20, collector or general office; references. Address F 290, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS JANITOR; MARried man, MR. J. ZEISCHER, 165 Dayton-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN; good penman. Address K 167, Tribune office.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

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SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN, COMpetent and experienced on double entry books, is open for position; best city reference; bond if necessary; please state character of business and salary offered. Address J 460, Tribune office.

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SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY WITH considerable experience as bookkeeper; accurate and neat worker; fair salary. Address J 228, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY THOROUGHLY EXperienced lady bookkeeper and cashier, with high grade firm; no agents. Address K 309, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT LADY, several years' exp. in bookkeeping; also stenographer; fully capable; $15. H 502, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG lady wishes position, assistant bookkeeping and general office work; state salary. F 416, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, TYPEwriter; capable to take full charge; 4 years' exp.; A 1 refs. Address J 584, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN, D. E. bookkeeper and general office work; references. Address H 474, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS CASHIER AND ASsistant by young man with 4 years in wholesale tailoring; first class refs. H K 366, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO AS-sist in private office; best city references; salary $6; experienced. Address J 384, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY IN OFfice or as clerk; exp. Address 1636 W. Ohio.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY, EXPErienced bookkeeper; ref. J 495, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—GENERAL OFFICE work; high school graduate. K 456, Tribune.

Domestics.

SITUATION WANTED—GOOD GIRL, SECOND or general housework; no washing; good ref. Call Sunday, 10 E. 87th-st., 2d flat.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COLORED WOMAN to cook for bachelor or in boarding house. Address J 91, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—GIRL STUDENT WILL help with light work (6 mornings each day); refined home; small salary; South Side. Address K 265, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED — GOOD, CLEAN COOK and baker; handy with housework; city or country. Address ALEXANDER, 1122 Southport-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG, STRONG girl, for general housework; can give good refs. Call 5927 La Salle-st., rear.

SITUATION WANTED — NEAT, COMPETENT girl, general work; no washing; good refs.; good waitress. 3339 Cornell-av.

SITUATION WANTED — COLORED, GENERAL housework. 5342 Dearborn-st.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS WOMAN cook; refs. 194 E. 41st-st., near Cottage Grove.

SITUATION WANTED—BY NEAT COLORED girl, day work. 2705 Armour-av., 1st flat rear.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COLORED GIRL, AS maid or nurse. 3134 Wabash-av., top floor.

SITUATION WANTED—BY RELIABLE WOman; light housework; refs. J 342 Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—NEAT COLORED GIRL, housework; good cook; refs. Phone Douglas 2837.

SITUATION WANTED—COOK AND HOUSEwork; last place 4 years; German. 3003 Calumet.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS COOK and waitress; 3 years' refs. 202 E. 43d-st., 2d fl.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS COOK; 4 years' refs. Phone Gray 4973.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MIDDLE AGED lady for housework. 372 Garfield-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY SWEDISH GIRL; general housework. Call 404 Bowen-av.

Housekeepers.

SITUATION WANTED—BY REFINED WIDOW as managing housekeeper in widower's home or first class hotel; no objection to 2 children; age 37; best references; would leave the city. Address E 420, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY, REfined and of neat appearance, would like position as hskpr. in gentleman's home. J 126, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS HOUSEKEEPER for widower's family; A1 cook. Address E A 565, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CHRISTIAN WOMAN wants to keep house or do general housework; an aged couple; country preferred. J 338, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MANAGING HOUSEkeeper, for a man with half grown daughter preferred; good refs. Address T B 376, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS MANAGER OF SUMmer resort or country club, by a woman of ability and experience. Address F 429, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY RELIABLE, COMpetent, trustworthy, middle aged housekeeper, capable taking entire charge; ref. J 497, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS MANAGING HSKPR. or companion, by lady refinement. J 76, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS HSKPR. IN WIDower or bachelor's home. Box 414, Lansing, Mich.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY HIGH CLASS dressmaker, to take charge of first class dressmaking establishment in town of 5,000 to 35,000; best of references and city experience; at present employed, wishes to make a change; capable of managing help and taking entire charge. Address O. X 33, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS DRESSmaker, cutter, fitter, designer, wishes few more customers on North Side; dresses, fancy and tailor made; shirt waist suits; perfect fitter, pattern cut to measure. Address Dressmaker, 6 S. Sheldon, fl. B.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COMPETENT WOman, sewing in families, repairing and mending; $1.25 per day; first class references. Address J 191, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED — DRESSMAKING BY the day; very competent; can give style, fit, and satisfaction; reference. 295 Oak-st.

SITUATION WANTED—PLACE AS SEAMstress in hotel, institution or private family. Address J 337, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—GOOD DRESSMAKER, work by day; good ref. 709 N. Clark-st.

SITUATION WANTED—DRESSMAKER, BY day or week; best city refs. L 262, Tribune.

Nurses.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED NURSE would take care infant or older children during mother's absence or work as mother's helper; willing to make herself useful in any way; can darn and mend. Refs. Address H 126, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—HIGHLY RECOMMENDed masseur, as nurse, with invalid who intends to travel or leave city during summer. Hotel Wyndmere, cor. 18th and Indiana-av.; box 106.

SITUATION WANTED — EXP. OBSTETRICAL nuse, take charge infant or invalid lady; best refs.; no objection to country; prefer Christian Science family. Address K 599, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY FRENCH GIRL, 19 years old, newcomer; will keep care of child, or sewing. Address ADELE, 183 22d-st., Flat B.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG NORWEGIAN lady, fond of children, as nurse in American family. Address MAUGAN, 850 W. Ohio-st.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERIENCED INfant's nurse; American family; city or suburb; good wages. Phone 6310 Douglas.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED German nurse, to take care of baby; wages $7 to $8; refs. Address 5533 Woodlawn.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT GERMAN nurse for infant; state wages. A., T., 353 Orleans.

SITUATION WANTED—NURSE GIRL; INFANT. Best references. Address J 336, Tribune office.

Laundresses.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS LAUNdress by day; private family. 33 Clybourn-av. SJOBERG.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS LAUNdress and cleaning by day. 5746 Wabash-av.; ref.

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DOWNTOWN REALTY SOLD.

ANOTHER TRACT AT HARRISON AND STATE STREETS GOES.

Acquired by Trustees Under the Harrison Trust Agreement, Who Purchased Adjoining Property Last Week—Western Bank Note Company Secures a Building Site at Indiana Avenue and Twentieth Street—Transfers of Flat Structures.

Bryan Lathrop, Owen F. Aldis, and Russell Tyson have added to their recent purchase at the southeast corner of Harrison and State streets. They have just bought for $122,500 cash from Mrs. Mary Knight, Mrs. Wilhelmina Keebler, and Mrs. Matilda Wilkins, heirs of the late G. Pottgiesser, 40x138 feet adjoining on the south the High estate holding, which was purchased by them last week. Their two holdings now comprise a frontage of 120 feet in State street with a depth of 138 feet.

The property just purchased is improved with an old brick building, to which no value was given in the transaction, making the sale at the rate of $3,062 a front foot and $22.19 a square foot.

As was the case in the previous transaction, the purchasers take title as trustees under the Harrison trust agreement. John R. Knight & Co. and George H. High & Co. represented the sellers in the transaction, and Aldis & Co. the purchasers.

Bank Note Company Buys Site.

Another important deal closed yesterday was the purchase by the Western Bank Note and Engraving company from J. G. Pontefract of Pittsburg, Pa., of 112x160 feet at the northwest corner of Indiana avenue and Twentieth street. It will be improved immediately with a six story steel construction building. The new building, with the land, which was the old George P. Gore homestead, will represent an investment of approximately $300,000. The sale was negotiated by Oliver & Co. The property is just east of the Calumet club, and the transaction is of interest as marking the location of another business plant in what was a few years ago a residence district. The New York Kodak company is now erecting a plant at the northeast corner of Eighteenth street and Indiana avenue, and altogether four or five factories have secured locations along that avenue within the last year or two.

The bank note company recently sold the building and leasehold at the southwest corner of Michigan avenue and Madison street to C. L. Willoughby for $250,000.

Sales of Residence Property.

Mathias Walker has sold to Daisy H. Harts the flat property at the southeast corner of Berkeley avenue and Forty-second street, with 76½x71 feet of ground, for $50,000. The purchaser assumed an incumbrance of $24,000, and for the remainder of the purchase money conveyed the flat property at the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-seventh street, with 98x150 feet of ground.

Osborn J. Shannon has bought from Bernard Mayer the residence property in Grand boulevard, 172 feet south of Forty-ninth street, with 25x150 feet of ground, for $25,000.

Greenebaum Sons have made several loans aggregating $50,000, for five years at 5½ per cent, to Arthur Chester, secured by fourteen residences and 100x266 feet of ground at the northeast corner of Ellis avenue and Fifty-fourth place.

The University of Chicago has sold to Michael Grusin 72x120 feet in Blue Island avenue, 177 feet southwest of Polk street, for $22,000. Of this amount $14,500 was secured by a trust deed for five years at 5 per cent to Charles Hull Ewing.

Real Estate Transfers.

HYDE PARK.

Champlain-av., 150 s of 49th-st., e f, 50x120, incumb. $10,000, April 15 [Robert Bartlett to Raymond W. Beach..... $25,000

Harper-ct., s cor Michigan-av., e f, 141x207, April 16 [S. Herbst et al., by M. in C., to Henry Struesslin]..... 3,321

44th-st., 321, 4x105, incumb. $2,300, March 25 [Margaret E. Donohue to Harlow S. Orton]..... 4,800

45th-pl., s cor Lassley-av., s f, 31x150, April 17 [E. Neilins et al., by M. in C., to Ellen L. Van Schaik]..... 2,545

Kimbey-av., 200 n of 71st-st., e f, 25x125, April 22 [M. Mullane to Madge Briggs]..... 2,000

Monroe-av., 166 s of 61st-st., 24 10-12x166, April 18 [estate of P. Ackerman to Mary P. Ackerman]..... 1,200

Rhodes-av., 101 n of 41st-st., w f, 25x124½, April 21 [A. M. Jones to Harry Reiser]..... 1,800

LAKE.

Dearborn-st., 646 s of 53d, e f, 42x100, March 28 [George E. Erickson to Carroll F. Johnson]..... 18,000

Halsted-st., 106 n of 62d, e f, 25x124, April 15 [H. Gerber to Henry Reinbolt]..... 3,500

99th-st., n e cor Central Park-av., 40 acres and 1 inst., April 20 [H. A. Rust to John C. Shedd]..... 6,750

Same property, and ¼ inst., April 20 [H. A. Rust to David R. Forgan]..... 6,750

Sangamon-st., 40 s of 75th, e f, 40x124½, April 20 [H. Clark et al., by M. in C., to Ellen Carroll]..... 4,781

Vale-av., 175 n of 71st-st., w f, 25x133, April 1 [M. E. Kimball to William H. Connor]. 3,750

SOUTH CHICAGO.

Archer-av., 87 w of Wentworth, s f, 40x107, April 1 [estate of Sylvia D. Newhouse to John Adams]..... 4,000

Groveland-av., 466 s e of 31st-st., e f, 19 11-12x110, April 22 [A. N. Fuller to James D. Millikin]..... 4,500

Halsted-st., 69 n of 28th, w f, 24x125 and o p, April 13 [C. A. Crane et al., by M. in C., to South Halsted street iron works]..... 2,800

26th-st., 130 e of Calumet-av., n f, 50x133, April 19 [estate of Marks Nathan to Hugh Daly]..... 16,000

Wentworth-av., 650 s of 35th-st., e f, 25x125, April 22 [E. Tracy to Mary Saltmore]..... 5,000

LAKE VIEW.

Byron-st., 71 e of Paulina, n f, 24x121, incumb. $3,000, April 21 [Helga H. Raymond to William B. Brockman]..... 6,000

Clark-st., N., 102 s of Wilson-av., w f, 50x141, March 20 [Graceland Cemetery company to George A. Fetner]..... 3,250

Foster-av., 49 w of Evanston, n f, 26x122, incumb. $3,500, April 22 [Carrie Ring to John Dean]..... 7,000

School-st., 100 e of E. Ravenswood-dk., n f, 50x125, April 22 [J. Benz to Carrie Ring]. 3,000

Sunnyside-av., 70 e of Paulina-av., n f, 50x66, April 18 [E. Steffen to Adolph Spielmann]..... 2,000

Magnolia-av., n w cor Wilson, e f, 84x151, April 21 [Catherine McGillen to Lloyd G. Kirkland]..... 8,500

Magnolia-av., 292 s of Wilson, e f, 50x146, April 15 [Rebecca Welch to Samuel Brown Jr.]..... 5,000

Windsor-av., 343 w of Halsted-st., n f, 21x125, April 17 [Clara B. Johnson to Kate Wagner]..... 6,500

Wolfram-st., 48 w of Herndon, n f, 24x124½, April 21 [W. E. Brockman to Helga H. Raymond]..... 2,350

JEFFERSON.

Addison-st., n s cor Hamlin-av., s f, 450x198, April 18 [J. Krecker to Walter W. Wilson]..... 7,500

44th-st., N., 250 n of Byron-st., e f, 40x132, April 18 [F. A. Blessing to John A. Cadhame]..... 3,050

58th-av., N., 100 n of Bloomingdale, w f, 100x179, April 10 [E. O. Gale to Albert Thiele]..... 3,000

Southwaukee-av., ff s e of Rhine-st., s w f, 50 to Rhine-st., incumb. $1,800, April 21 [M. H. Rundell to Fred Prinsing]..... 4,200

Sawyer-av., 150 s of Belden, w f, 50x140, April 7 [estate of W. Marvin to Charles A. Johnson]..... 1,125

Whipple-st., 141 s of Irving Park-blvd., e f, 25x125, March 29 [W. E. Hatterman to Maria Siebenborn]..... 1,200

CALUMET.

Longwood-av., 197 s of 94th-st., e f, 100x194, April 20 [M. L. Nelson to Albert H. Hooker]..... 7,650

Throop-st., 48 n of 88th, w f, 50x126, April 19 [Normal Park R. & L. assn. to Wallace H. Brainerd]..... 1,600

CICERO.

Clark-st., n e cor Park-av, produced, w f, 100x125.7, April 18 [H. Hansen et al. to Elisabeth Milne]..... 4,525

Same property, April 20 [E. Milne to James Milne]..... 1

Indiana-st., 260 w of Prairie-av., e f, 75x150, April 8 [S. A. Morris to Charles A. Martin]..... 4,875

Monroe-st., W., 2880, 30x124, April 15 [M. J. Brockhausen to Mary F. Collins]..... 3,000

Prairie-av., 50 n of Iowa-st., w f, 37½x135 1-3, incumb. $2,000, April 19 [A. W. Erickson to Olof J. Olson]..... 3,650

Van Buren-st., 141 w of S. 48th-av., s f, 33x124, incumb. $2,000, April 21 [J. R. Dickison to John Medendorp]..... 5,120

WEST CHICAGO.

California-st., 48 n of 31st-st., e f, 2x125, April 18 [L. F. Norton to Marie Dunfek]. 1,250

Campbell-av., 55½ n of Lexington-st., w f, 24½x100, May 2, 1904 [F. Eakin to Reka W. Middleton]..... 3,000

Carroll-av., 314.7 w of Kedzie, s f, 20x150, Lot 1, Sec. B, & L. assn. to Frederick T. McLeod]..... 2,350

41st-av., S., 197 s of 16th-st., 24x125, [second], $1,400, April 22 [E. Arnault to Marie Schuster]..... 1,900

41st-st., S., 270 s of Harrison-st., e f, 25x124, [2d. April 4 [S. M. Gunderson to John D. Gallivan]..... 3,700

Flournoy-st., 173 w of Springfield-av., n f, 22x124.5, April 22 [J. T. Boyle to Thomas Brisch]..... 1,200

Gladys-av., 181 w of S. 41st-av., n f, 25x124.7, April 7 [C. B. Troutman to Hattie M. Binnie]..... 5,000

Gresham-st., 300 w of S. 40th-av., n f, 50x125, March 18 [Charles W. Franz to Charlotte Siebkert]..... 5,500

Hamlin-av., 175 s of 16th-st., w f, 25x116, April 21 [L. Schwab to Dennis J. Sullivan]. 1,750

Home-av., 148 s of Madison-st., e f, 25x128, April 18 [George D. Eddy to Mary E. Lyman]..... 7,000

Madison-st., 178 e of S. 41st-av., n f, 25x121, April 10 [Marcus C. Stearns et al., by M. in C., to Ellis E. Drake]..... 7,500

Monticello-av., 273 n of Division-st., w f, 48x124, March 16 [F. Kindermann to Christian G. Dinkelacher]..... 2,500

Spaulding-av., 233 n of Douglas-blvd., w f, 25x124, April 22 [George Wunder to Peter Eberwold]..... 6,000

St. Louis-av., 216 n of Chicago-av., e f, 25x125, incumb. $1,000, April 1 [S. Brown Jr. to Margaret Parry]..... 2,300

St. Louis-av., 225 s of Huron-st., e f, 50x125, April 5 [F. E. White to Mary White]..... 1

Thomas-st., 207 w of Rockwell, n f, 25x124, April 21 [H. Rietz et al. to Chris Clausen]. 2,700

Trumbull-av., 215 s of Central and Humboldt Park-blvd., e f, 25x125, incumb. $1,200, April 20 [T. J. Robinson to Mary N. Cherry]..... 1,700

12th-pl., 153 s of Union-st., s f, 25x75, incumb. $1,000, March 23 [estate of N. Di Fulds to Maria Di Fulds]..... 1,150

20th-st., s w cor Lincoln, s f, 50x99, March 11 [D. C. Loveday et al. to Frank Wojtas]. 3,750

21st-st., 146 w of Oakley-av., s f, 24x125, April 5 [John F. Mahon to Frederick N. Schramm]..... 2,000

25th-pl., 96 w of Francisco-av., s f, 24x120, April 19 [F. Maiafa to Tomas Wachuta]. 3,600

25th-pl., 145 e of Francisco-av., s f, 24x120, incumb. $1,800, April 22 [R. Richter to Stanislaw Jedzinski]..... 4,080

Washington-blvd., 127 e of Kedzie-av., s f, 25x220, m. or l., April 20 [Caddy S. Forbes to August M. David]..... 4,500

Building Permits.

John Montag, 1 story and basement frame addition, 5749 S. Paulina-st..... $ 2,000

Chicago Novelty Dye company, 2 story and basement brick dyehouse, 5531 State-st. 6,500

Emil Silkenat, 1½ story and basement brick cottage, 6717 Calumet-av..... 1,500

Collins & Morris, 5 3 story and basement brick apartments, 4148-52 Indiana-av., 635-43 42d-st..... 40,000

E. Johnson, 3 story and basement brick apartment, 5455-57 Prairie-av..... 20,000

Charles Johnson, 1 story and basement frame addition, 5008 Center-av..... 250

M. Woebolis, 1 story and basement brick addition, 3317 Honoré-st..... 2,400

Max Fenber, 1 story and basement brick rear addition, 520 E. North-av..... 800

Herman Butza, 1 story and basement brick addition, 19 Garfield-st..... 1,400

Frank Zwanka, 3 story and basement brick flat, 42 Beach-st..... 4,800

Fred Nelson, 2 story and basement brick flat, 125 N. 50th-av..... 4,000

C. Carling, 2 story and basement brick flat, 708 N. Campbell-st..... 4,000

Peck & Hill, 3 story and basement brick factory, 43-51 Hickory-st..... 15,000

A. Shiels, 2 1½ story and basement frame cottages, 1018-22-26 N. 94th-av..... 8,400

John McGee, 1 story and basement frame cottage, 2894 W. Van Buren-st..... 1,800

S. Peeler, 2 story and basement frame flat, 657 Bertead-av..... 1,800

E. M. Seaver, 2 story and basement frame dwelling, 3161 Lexington-av..... 1,800

John Smutny, 1 story and basement brick cottage, 1338 S. Spaulding-av..... 1,800

F. E. Pray, 2 story and basement frame residence, 517 S. Howard-av..... 2,800

John Doyle, 1 story and basement brick addition, 605 S. Central Park-av..... 1,800

LAKE SHIPPING NEWS.

Welland Canal Open.

Port Colborne, Ont., April 24.—Navigation between the Atlantic coast and the great lake was opened this afternoon, when the locks of the Welland canal were opened for traffic for the season.

Freights and Charters.

The grain rate dropped to 1¾ cents on corn, with no charters being reported. Conditions in the grain market are chaotic, and no substantial volume of business can be expected by vessel men until the grain trade settles down to a steady basis.

DULUTH, Minn., April 24.—The wheat rate is nominally 2¼ cents, but there is nothing doing. The eastern demand for wheat is slack, and shippers are selling practically nothing.

Vessel Movements.

LORAIN, O.—Arrived—Armenia.

WAUKEGAN, Ill.—Arrived—Tug Hackley.

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Arrived—Oscoda, Filer.

MANITOWOC, Wis.—Cleared—Grecian, Escanaba.

SOUTH CHICAGO.—Arrived—Panther, Sharpless.

SHEBOYGAN, Wis.—Arrived—Athens, Clyde, Uganda.

ASHLAND, Wis.—Arrived—Masaba. Cleared—Ore—Admiral, Lake Erie.

PORT COLBORNE, Ont.—Down—Isaac Lincoln and consort, Imperial, Spalding.

ASHTABULA, O.—Arrived—Aurania. Cleared—Light—James Hoyt, Colgate, Duluth.

CONNEAUT, O.—Arrived—Sinaloa, Sonoma, A. Wolvin, Cadillac, Light—Siemens, Sahara, Crescent City, Matsafa, Duluth.

MARQUETTE, Mich.—Arrived—McWilliams, Kaliyuga, Cadillac. Cleared—E. C. Pope, Cleveland.

PORT HURON, Mich.—Cleared—Salt—Parnell, Toledo, Light—Hattie Wells, Alpena; Katahdin, Spanish River; Palmer, Lake Erie.

TOLEDO, O.—Arrived—Nyanza, W. H. Mack, Pabst, Cleveland, Coal—Palmer, Milwaukee; Maynard, Soo. Light—Alaska, Alpena.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Arrived—Pratt, Goehrle, Spencer, Boyce, Falcon, Adanac. Cleared—Lyman Smith, Joliet, Superior; Spencer, Boyce, Escanaba; Wisconsin, Duluth.

ESCANABA, Mich.—Arrived—City of Glasgow Abyssinia, Pentland, Niagara, Olympia. Cleared—E. R. Rhodes, Trevor, Palmer, Wawatam, Hilton, Mariska, Santiago, Appomattox, Oceanica, South Chicago.

TWO HARBORS, Minn.—Arrived—French, Gates, Princeton, Black, Gayley, Rockefeller, Bunsen, Bessemer, Watson, Jenks. Cleared—Oliver, Superior City, Linn, Pathfinder, Sagamore, Lake Erie.

CLEVELAND, O.—Arrived—Wade, Lagonda, Emily, Algeria. Cleared—Coal—Tempest, Sturgeon Bay; Iron King, Chicago; Turret, Crown Point William; Fawnee, Orton, Algoma Mills; C. G. King, Marinette. Light—Kerr, George Peavey, Duluth.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich.—Up—Iturgia, 2:30 a. m.; Ira Owen, America, 7; Myron, Pentlico, Delaware, Jeanese, 8; Australia, 8:30; Hoyt, 9; Penobscot, 9 p. m.; Mary I. Downey—Williams, 9:50 Sunday night; Oliver, midnight; Parent, 4 p. m.; Luzon, Northern Wave, 7; Rees, 8:40.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Arrived—Fayette Brown. Cleared—Coal—Tilden, Racine; Brazil, Green Bay; Paisley, Port Arthur; Orinoco, Fort William; Alcona, Waukegan; Curtis, Depere; Konjo, Bay City; Malecite, Chicago; Reed, Sultana, Clemson, Duluth; Peavey, Superior; Black Rock, Chicago.

DULUTH-SUPERIOR.—Arrived—Northern King, Goodyear, Woodruff, Corsica, Albright, Christopher, Ireland, Northwind, Cramage, City of Paris, Osborne, Ball, Brothers, Branford, Presque Isle, Walker, Harvey Brown, Monroe Smith, Hart, McDougall, Neptune, Wilkinson. Cleared—Ore—Victory, Lake Erie. Grain—Scranton, Buffalo. Light—Weeks, Gilchrist, Two Harbors.

DETROIT, Mich.—Up—A. T. Hopkins, 8:30 a. m.; Caledonia, Hutchinson, Iron Cliff, 11:20; Commodore, 11:30; Tuscarora, Saranac, 12:20 p. m.; Sawyer and barges, 2:30; Bartlett and barges, Gill, 3; Venezuela, Matanzas, 7:15. Down—Lagonda, Algeria, Gill, Widder, 9 Sunday night; Parnell, 10:30; John Owen, 11:10; Desmond and 2099, 2:30 a. m.; Bielman, McLachlan, 4:20; Midland King, 11; Bethlehem [cleared], 2 p. m.; Bulgaria, 5:30; Briton, 6; George Stoner, 7:20; Wolvin [small], 7:40; Orion, 8; William Palmer, Mariska, 9:30.

MACKINAW CITY, Mich.—Up—St. Paul, Nyo, 4 a. m.; Seneca, Mauch Chunk, Syracuse, 7:40; Fleetwood and consort, 8:10; Boston, 9:10; Flower, Vance, 11:40; Naples, 12:30 p. m.; Bingham, 1:30; Davidson, 2:30; Colonial, 3:20; Ramapo, 6; Veronica and consort, 8:20. Down—Minneapolis, 2 a. m.; Illinois, 4:40; Oregon and consort, 5; Egan, Masaba, McVittie, Marina, 6:15; Livingstone, 7; Starke, 10; Sheriffs and consort, Ralph and consorts, 1:40; Cuba, noon; Wm. Chisholm, 12:10 p. m.; F. M. Stephenson, Muncy, 2:30; Griffin, 5; Utica, 5:15. Wind—North, eight miles; clear.

Port of Chicago.

Arrived—Merchandise—Clarion, Buffalo, Coal—Ogdensburg, Buffalo, Lumber—D. Neff, Traverse City; Edward Buckley, Empire.

Cleared—Grain—Cartagena, Collingwood. Light—Norwalk, Tonawanda, Edward Buckley, Manistee; S. D. Neff, Traverse City; E. M. Peck, Superior; Ada Medora, Charlevoix; Panther, Escanaba.

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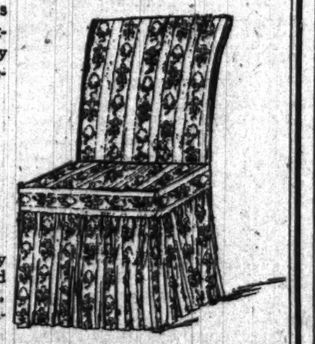

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